Today's Weather. Snow.

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THE WEATHER

Snow and colder weather is predicted for today and fair conditions for tomorrow for Pittsburgh and vicinity by the observer at Washington. The maximum temperature yesterday was 40 and the minimum 29 degrees. The snowfall measured over half an inch. The sun rose cloudy at 7:45 and set cloudy at 5:08 yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Snow.

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.03	37	54	E.	Cloudy.
8 p. m.	29.72	37	85	S.E.	Snow.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for January 6:

	1905	1904		1905	1904
Maximum	40	32	Mean	34	21
Minimum	29	10	Precipitation	.73	..
Nor. temp.	31	yrs. 30	Nor. precip.	31 yrs.	.10
Excess for day		4	Excess for day		.63
Exc. since Jan. 1		23	Exc. since Jan. 1		.63

Official Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Snow and colder Saturday; increasing northwest winds; Sunday fair, except snow near Lake Erie.

Ohio—Fair in west, snow and colder in east and central portions Saturday; brisk northwest winds; Sunday fair, except now in northeast portion.

West Virginia—Snow and colder Saturday; Sunday fair.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

St. Louis	24	Snow	Cincinnati	34	Clear
Chicago	24	Cloudy	Nashville	26	Snow
Omaha	22	Clear	Louisville	32	Cloudy
Cairo	24	Snow	Kansas City	24	Clear
El Paso	48	Clear	Bismarck	14	Clear
Memphis	28	Clear	Washington	48	Rain
St. Paul	18	Clear	New Orleans	52	Clear
Huron	18	Cloudy	Philadelphia	44	Rain
Duluth	22	Snow	New York	38	Rain
Helena	24	PtCldy	Cleveland	32	Cloudy
Denver	20	Snow	Buffalo	28	Snow
Salt Lake	28	Clear			

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Enter Contest at Once.

Back Numbers Can Be Supplied.

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STEP TOWARD GREATER CITY

Bigelow Wants Allegheny Made a Station of the Pittsburgh Postoffice.

WORKING A SCHEME

He Has Communicated With Senators Knox and Penrose and Congressman Shiras.

HIS PLAN FOR ANNEXATION

Steps have been taken to pave the way for a Greater Pittsburgh by making Allegheny a station of the Pittsburgh postoffice. Director E. M. Bigelow is the originator of the plan, and, as usual, is pushing it to consummation. He has already communicated with Senators P. C. Knox and Boies Penrose and Congressman George Shiras, and expects them to act favorably upon the proposition.

"The appointment of a postmaster in Allegheny would be placing another snag in the wheel of Greater Pittsburgh," said the director. "No matter who is selected as the successor of James A. Grier, the official would be an opponent of an enlarged city because he would want to protect his position. By making Allegheny a station attached to the Pittsburgh office, the North Side would not suffer. The facilities for the prompt delivery of mail would be better than at present.

"I am reliably informed that more business is done at the East Liberty station of the Pittsburgh office than is transacted in the Allegheny postoffice. It is done to the entire satisfaction of the residents of the East End district.

Bigelow Is Busy.

"I am satisfied the consolidation can be brought about. I have today been in communication with Senators Penrose and Knox and Congressman Shiras. I want them to recommend the consolidation. If they approve the plan, President Roosevelt will doubtless issue the order making Allegheny a station. This afternoon I had a telephone conversation with Penrose and he will take up the matter. I have telephoned Knox and Shiras, explaining the proposition and requesting them to advise the president to order the consolidation.

"This legislature will make it possible to secure a Greater Pittsburgh. I intend to get busy. My plan is to take in the territory we want and not bother about it. If we decide to annex Allegheny, McKeesport, Braddock, Wilkinsburg, Homestead and some other towns, legislation will be secured to take them in without wasting time. It is the only way to secure a greater city, and do it promptly. I will submit my plan to Solicitor Rodgers and if he says it is all right, I will proceed to secure the legislation. Senator Penrose is ready to help. He is a friend of mine and intends to be a good friend. Now is the time to erect a greater city and the opportunity will not be allowed to pass. This legislature will give us the needed laws."

Elevated Railways.

Director Bigelow returned from Philadelphia yesterday, where he had conferred with President Cassatt of the Pennsylvania railroad, filled with the idea of building an elevated trolley line to the East End above the tracks of the Pennsylvania. When asked about the project he said:

"It is too soon to talk about the scheme. I may build the line. It would be easy to do and would afford quick service to the East End district. I have been spending a great deal of time of late investigating the New York subway. It is wonderful to see the ease with which trains are shot along at a speed of 60 miles an hour. Electricity is the coming motive power. The New York Central has ordered 45 motor cars for use in its suburban service. I predict that within five years the railroads entering Pittsburgh will use electricity for motive power.

"An elevated road over the tracks of the Pennsylvania could be built and operated at a reasonable cost. It would solve the transportation of the thousands who live in the East End and do business down town. With the use of electricity for operating the trains of the Pennsylvania, passengers on the elevated would not be disturbed by the smoke. In fact, the smoke nuisance will soon be a thing of the past in Pittsburgh and soft coal will remain the fuel. The elevated would be operated by the third-rail system and very fast time could be made. I am not prepared to talk about what may be done in this direction more than to repeat that I may build the road."

DR. FRANK COWAN DYING; HAS COFFIN IN ROOM

Although Wealthy Greensburg Man Does Not Wish Funeral Expenses to Exceed $15.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

GREENSBURG, Jan. 6.—Dr. Frank Cowan, lecturer, traveler, author and historian, who made three trips around the world, is nearing death at Mountain Park house near here, where he lives alone, save a nurse.

Yesterday he had placed in his room a rude coffin made of ordinary flooring boards by John Walthour, a carpenter. The box is without a lid. Although in possession of considerable wealth he has directed that his body, when he dies, be placed therein and carried to a grave already prepared in a remote corner of his beautiful park. When the coverless box shall be lowered into the grave, the doctor has directed that quick lime be poured into the grave to a depth fully covering the box, and then filled up with clay. He is particularly anxious that the expense of his burial does not exceed $15. The box cost $7, the grave $8 and the lime it is expected will not cost more than $2.

BLANKETY BLANK THE BLANK BLANK COAL HOLE !!!
MAN BREAKING HIS NEW YEARS RESOLUTION
NOTHING LIKE JANUARY TEN, FORTY SIX
ONLY A SKIFT !!
SAYS THE TALL OLD INHAB TO THE SHORT OLD INHAB
I SHOVELED 760 FOOT OF SIDEWALK WITH A CANE
A NICE LITTLE DOWN TOWN PICTURE

Beautiful Snow.

SHIPBUILDING CO. SALES COMPLETED

Proceeds Will Return Bondholders $156.35 on Each $1,000 Face Value.

SHELDON'S STOCK EXCLUDED

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 6.—Judge Lanning in the United States circuit court today filed an order completing the sale of the properties of the United States Shipbuilding Company and the Bethlehem Steel Company, and directing conveyances to be made to the purchasers, who are George R. Sheldon, in the case of the Shipbuilding company, and William C. Lane in the case of the Bethlehem Steel Company.

These purchases were made in the carrying out of the plan of the reorganization of the Shipbuilding company. It is ascertained that the sale permits the payment of $156.35 for each $1,000 face value of the outstanding bonds of the Shipbuilding company, and an amount is set aside sufficient to pay this sum to all the holders of bonds other than Sheldon.

Sheldon himself holds $14,756,000 par value of the bonds out of a total issue of $15,080,000. The bonds held by Sheldon were turned in as part of the purchase price of the plants.

The entire 300,000 shares of stock of the Bethlehem Steel Company were transferred by bill of sale to Lane, who holds all of the $10,000,000 bond issue of the Steel company. Lane paid in $100,000 on the purchase price. Of this, $10,000 goes to the New York Security and Trust Company, and $20,000 to the same company for fees and costs in its foreclosure suit. Whatever is left after paying Receiver Smith is to go back to Lane.

POSTMASTER MUST BE A REGULAR REPUBLICAN

Knox, Penrose and Shiras Confer on the Allegheny Appointment, but No Selection Is Made.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Senators Knox and Penrose and Representative Shiras held a conference this afternoon regarding the Allegheny postmastership. After going over the situation carefully, all that can be definitely stated this evening is that the man who will be selected will be a regular Republican and one entirely satisfactory to the Republican organization. It is probable Mr. Shiras will be prepared to announce his recommendation on Monday.

The senators and Mr. Shiras went over a list of fully 50 candidates for the appointment and the number of available men was narrowed down considerably. There was complete harmony between the three men in this matter and it is safe to say that the man whom Mr. Shiras names will be confirmed by the senate without the slightest opposition. When seen after the conference Mr. Shiras said:

"I cannot give the names of those who were considered today nor can I give any intimation as to who will be selected, for the reason that no decision has yet been reached. When I returned here today I found a large bundle of letters awaiting me. The majority of them referred to the Allegheny postmastership, and I do not care to make the appointment until I have read all of these letters. I have not seen the president and do not think there is any reason for consulting with him on the subject. When I am ready to make the recommendation I will send it to the department in the usual way."

Maj. Robert J. Taggart and J. Milton Ray, both of whom are candidates for the appointment, have written to Representative Acheson asking his influence with Mr. Shiras in their behalf.

L. W. STRAYER.

GILLESPIE WILL APPEAL TO THE SUPREME COURT

RISING SUN, IND., Jan. 6.—James Gillespie, convicted by a jury yesterday for the murder of his twin sister, Elizabeth, was today sentenced by Judge Nicholas Cornet to the penitentiary for life. A motion for a new trial was overruled. Gillespie then prayed an appeal to the supreme court, which was granted.

Flagship Is Still Afloat.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 6.—Reports that Vice Admiral Rojestvensky's flagship, the battleship Knias Souvaroff, has struck a rock and sunk are unfounded.

WANTS CONGRESS TO GET TOGETHER

President Roosevelt Calls the Leaders of Both Houses Into Conference.

LEGISLATION WILL BE URGED

MATTERS TO BE SETTLED BY THE PRESIDENT AND THE CONGRESS LEADERS

Shall there be railroad rate legislation this winter?

Shall there be tariff modifications?

If neither, shall there be an extra session of congress?

Shall there be economy in appropriations? If so, shall the navy bill be cut with everything else?

Shall the Philippine tariff be abolished or shall it only be cut to 50 per cent of the Dingley rates?

What shall be done in the way of revamping the Panama canal commission?

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—President Roosevelt has all congress guessing tonight. He has called a conference of the leading members of both houses for tomorrow afternoon at the White House, and apparently he has determined that he will know the opinion of these leaders on topics on which he desires legislation. Among those who have been asked to meet the president are Senators Allison, Aldrich and Spooner, and Speaker Cannon and Representatives Payne and Dalzell.

This makes it look very much like a tariff revision conference, but it was stated at the White House today that the talk will be on general legislative topics. At the same time the president continues to speak of the possibility of an extra session of congress to be held some time after his inauguration March 4. This has led to the deep conviction that the tariff and the railroad rate question are somehow involved with each other in the president's scheme.

Conference on Big Things.

It is expected that the president tomorrow will have a talk covering not only the railroad question, but the possibility of tariff revision, the expenditures to be authorized by this congress, the Philippines tariff and the legislation which shall be passed for the Panama canal.

An effort will be made at the conference to harmonize differences which have arisen among the Republicans as to the nature of the legislation to be enacted at the present session and to secure, if possible, unanimity of action regarding legislative action in the future. An effort is being made in congress by Speaker Cannon and the members of the senate committee on appropriations to scale down all appropriations to be authorized at the present session. This has aroused some antagonism among senators and representatives who are interested in appropriations for river and harbor improvements, for public buildings and for the extension of the navy. It is expected that those differences will be threshed out at the conference.

President and the Tariff.

It is suggested, also, that legislation regarding the proposed increase of the powers of the interstate commerce commission, the tariff and the federal incorporation of companies doing an interstate business will be considered. It is known that the president is interested in the subject of the tariff to such an extent that he would call an extraordinary session of congress for its consideration, but it is said to be quite improbable that a session earlier than next fall would be called, and it is not certain that one will be called for that time.

The president desires, however, that affirmative action be taken by congress, both as to the tariff and as to the increase of the powers of the interstate commerce commission and he hopes this action may be taken at a reasonably early date. Members of congress who are frequent callers at the White House have indicated that no action is likely to take place before next fall.

STEEL CORPORATION IS NEGOTIATING WITH CZAR

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Millard Hunsiker, London representative of the United States Steel Corporation, has been on a secret mission to St. Petersburg, said to have been the negotiating of contracts for large armor plate orders. The Steel Corporation, through the Carnegie Steel Company, expects to play an important part in the rehabilitation of the Russian navy.

WILL PRESS WAR MORE VIGOROUSLY

Japan Too Busy Fighting to Sue for Peace, Says Minister Takahira.

EUROPE LOOKS TO ROOSEVELT

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Japan has made no overtures for peace to Russia, directly or indirectly, through the United States or any other power, and contemplates no such action. Now that Port Arthur has fallen she proposes to press the war in the north all the more vigorously by reinforcing the Japanese armies at Liao-Yang with the greater part of the troops which have been besieging Port Arthur.

This in brief represents the views of Mr. Kogoro Takahira, the Japanese minister, who has recently resumed charge of the legation at Washington after a long illness at New York.

"The fall of Port Arthur," said the minister, "is but a step in the war which Japan is waging for a principle. Certainly it is an important step, but nothing could be further from the truth than the assumption that because Japan has captured a stronghold, the fall of which has long been expected, the Japanese government will now make overtures for peace. Japan is too busy fighting. We are as much in earnest today as we were at the outset of the war. We have made no overtures for peace, either directly or indirectly, nor have the powers approached us with any idea of intervention."

At the Russian embassy it was reiterated that Russia would fight all the harder in view of the temporary loss of Port Arthur.

Europe, it is learned, is firmly of the conviction that, however dark the outlook for peace in this moment, when the prospect brightens it is to President Roosevelt the neutrals as well as the belligerents will look as the intermediary through whom peace negotiations will be initiated. A European ambassador said today:

"The American government is practically the only government to which both belligerents will be willing to look for assistance in reaching a settlement when the time comes. Aside from this fact the high personal regard in which the president is held, both at St. Petersburg and Tokyo, makes it all the more probable that through him, when Russia and Japan have fought their fight, the powers must hope for peace."

TOKYO, Jan. 7.—(9 a. m.)—Gen. Nogi reports that additional prisoners have been transferred up to noon Friday as follows: The Twenty-fifth Rifle regiment, 42 officers and 1,432 men; Twenty-sixth Rifle regiment, 40 officers and 1,429 men; Twenty-seventh Rifle regiment, 58 officers and 1,178 men. The total number transferred, 140 officers and 4,039 men.

JUDGE WARNS THE JURY IN MARCUM-HARGIS SUIT

Arguments Are Heard in Kentucky Damage Case—Miss Marcum to Wed.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WINCHESTER, KY., Jan. 6.—There have been insinuations that someone has been trying to tamper with the jurymen in the Marcum-Hargis damage suit, and shortly after court convened today the judge warned the jurymen and told them if anyone attempted to talk with them about the case to regard it as an insult to their integrity.

Judge J. Lewis McQuown finished his final argument for the defense this morning. He referred to Capt. E. J. Ewen, the star witness for the plaintiff, as the monumental liar of the age. Mr. Bronston, for the plaintiff, followed Judge McQuown and was still speaking when court adjourned. At one point, turning, Mr. Bronston pointed his finger at the defendants and thundered, "You must take your medicine, the trail of the serpent winds in and out and you are condemned by your own words."

Mr. Bronston will conclude tomorrow morning.

Miss Nellie Marcum, the eldest daughter of the late J. B. Marcum, will be married on January 25 to James Flannery, at the home of Miss Marcum's mother. Mr. Flannery is an old Kentucky boy, but for some time has been living in Fargo, N. D., where he will take his bride immediately after the wedding. Miss Marcum is 17 and one of the most beautiful girls in the section.

SOLONS SPLIT OVER PEABODY

Lieut.-Gov. Haggott Led Bolters Out of Colorado's Legislature.

ROW WITH SPEAKER

Behind Closed Doors Remainder Appoint a Committee to Investigate Vote.

FARCICAL SCENES ENACTED

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

DENVER, Jan. 6.—Behind locked doors, and amid scenes of great confusion and excitement, the Colorado legislature today passed a resolution creating a committee of 15 members to canvass the vote cast for governor at the last election, and submit a final report to the legislature not later than 2 o'clock next Monday afternoon. The committee is composed of five senators and 10 representatives, the political division being 12 Republicans and three Democrats. It organized this afternoon by the election of Senator Arthur Cornforth of Colorado Springs as chairman, and will commence the hearing of evidence tomorrow.

The trouble began with the first session of the joint session, and continued until its close. It was understood there would be a conflict over the respective rights of Speaker Dickson and Lieut.-Gov. Haggott to preside over the joint session. The speaker based his right to preside on a section of the state constitution which says that immediately on organization of the house the speaker shall open and publish the election returns in the presence of a majority of both branches of the legislature.

Lieut.-Gov. Haggott construed his right to direct the proceedings upon a statute which declares that in conducting any contested election the general assembly shall convene in joint session, and that the president of the senate shall preside unless he is the contestee.

The "Hunch" Wouldn't Go.

When the lieutenant governor mounted the rostrum Speaker Dickson was standing in front of his desk, and did not move. The lieutenant governor advanced, the two men smiled, bowed, shook hands, and then stood gazing into each other's eyes. Neither made a move, and their features hardened as they realized the situation. Together they turned to face the assembly, the speaker behind the center of the desk, the lieutenant governor at his left hand.

Gently edging up to the speaker Lieut.-Gov. Haggott gave him a gentle "hunch" with his shoulder, as if to move him along. The speaker was immovable. The gentle "hunch" was repeated, and still the speaker held his ground, and brought down his gavel with a thump.

"The clerk of the house will call the roll," he said.

Bang! went the gavel of the lieutenant governor. He is much the more powerful man physically, and every time he brought his black gavel down, the pitcher of ice water on the speaker's desk trembled and the tumblers jumped and jingled.

"The clerk of the senate will call the roll," he shouted.

Gave Cowboy Yell.

Clerk Harper of the house and Secretary Farwell of the senate began to call their respective rolls, while great confusion arose in the house. Members laughed, cheered and shouted, while Representative Steel, a Democrat, gave vent to the cowboy yell of "Yip, yip yip!"

A few names had been called when Representative Frewen, a "Wolcott Republican," shouted, "Mr. Chairman."

"Mr. Frewen," responded the lieutenant governor.

"You are out of order, Mr. Frewen," shouted the speaker.

"You have the floor, Mr. Frewen," said the lieutenant governor.

"Bang! bang!" went the speaker's gavel. "Boom! boom!" went the gavel of the lieutenant governor.

Mr. Frewen accepted the ruling of the man who gave him what he wanted, and commenced to speak to a point of order, which was that the president of the senate was the proper presiding officer at a joint session.

"You are out of order, sit down," commanded the speaker.

"You have the floor," said the lieutenant governor, and again the gavel banged and boomed.

Moved to Adjourn.

"I move that this session adjourn," shouted Senator Morgan.

"It is moved that this session adjourn," shouted the lieutenant governor.

"All in favor of adjourning will say aye," called the lieutenant governor.

"All opposed, no."

The ayes and noes came in about equal volume, and then down came the gavel of the lieutenant governor, with a vicious slam.

"The ayes have it, and the session is dissolved."

Whack! went the speaker's gavel.

"The noes have it, and the session is not dissolved," he said.

"The members of the senate will leave the house," said the lieutenant governor, and quickly walking from the speaker's stand he strode up the aisle, waving his gavel over his head as though he was leading an infantry charge.

Hunting for Senators.

All the Democratic senators and a number of the Republican senators followed him.

"The sergeant-at-arms will see that nobody leaves the room," said the speaker.

The sergeant, however, was not fast enough on his feet, and the lieutenant governor and senators filed out.

"Members will resume their seats," said Speaker Dickson. The joint session is still on."

When Lieut.-Gov. Haggott reached the senate chamber he said he was followed by all the senators, and directed

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WHOLE BLOCK TO BE BOUGHT

Bar Association's Plan to Relieve Court House Congestion.

ADDITION OPPOSED

Assertion That the Walls Are Not Strong Enough to Bear the Burden.

NEW YORK SYSTEM APPROVED

If the work of the Allegheny County Bar association is approved by the county commissioners, Allegheny county will in the near future have another county building bounded by Ross, Diamond, Grant and Fourth avenue to accommodate all the offices of the present county building not immediately connected with the business of the courts proper.

The commissioners, even before the proposition to erect additional stories on the present structure, which was yesterday turned down flatly by the largest meeting of the bar association held in recent years, have been investigating the property now owned by the county on which the Pittsburgh academy stands, with the idea in mind to erect a 20-story skyscraper for the accommodation of all county offices save the courts and offices necessary to the court business. This will probably rear its head in the near future, and at the same time the commissioners will probably buy all the territory recommended in the report of the Bar association, which it says can be purchased for $1,300,000, but which others say cannot be had for anything like that price.

Veloed Court House Addition.

The first proposition of the county commissioners to erect additional stories to the county building was vetoed unanimously at the meeting of the association, after an elaborate report of a special committee consisting of George B. Gordon, chairman; C. C. Dickey, J. M. Swearingen, Edwin W. Smith and Clarence Burleigh, had been read and submitted. Instead, the committee recommended the purchase of the land bounded by Diamond street, Ross street, Grant street and Fourth avenue, and the erection of a temporary structure to accommodate the offices of the county building.

The report is made under four headings:

First—Is the present court house adequate?

Second—Ought the people of Allegheny county try to preserve the court house as an example of architectural beauty?

Third—Is the proposed change wise?

Fourth—Would not the needs of the county be best subserved by acquiring more ground and erecting new buildings?

Conclusions of the Committee.

In recapitulation the conclusions reached were:

First—That the proposed alterations of the court house would amount to the destruction of the architectural beauty of the present building.

Second—That the cost of providing the additional room in the method proposed would be excessive and uneconomical.

Third—That the public convenience would be better subserved by building a separate building or buildings to take care of the offices which are not essential to the transaction of the business of the courts.

After the report was read by Chairman George B. Gordon, a general discussion of the entire proposition took place, many of the remarks showing that others beside the committee had gone into the questions submitted. Among those who approved the report in short addresses were Chairman Gordon, H. G. Wasson, C. C. Dickey, J. M. Shields, W. J. Brennen, J. Boyd Duff, Charles T. Ott, E. E. Smith, E. T. Breck, A. M. Imbrie, Harry M. Scott and E. W. Smith.

Decision Was Unanimous.

The meeting was the most representative held in years, and the association rooms were crowded. The unanimity of the aproval surprised even the committee, which expected to see some lawyers at least in favor of the new additions.

The committee says it is of the opinion that the changes proposed would not be wise, in that they are neither practical nor economical. The original cost of the building exceeded $2,000,000 and the building was much cheaper then than now, and the destruction of that portion proposed would mean a loss of $500,000 to $750,000. Mr. Osterling's estimate of cost was $1,000,000, roughly figured, and might be much more. The committee of architects appointed by the Pittsburgh chapter of the American Institute of Architects total it at $2,000,000. The report then says:

Mr. Osterling's estimate assumes that the present walls and foundations of the court house are strong enough to carry the additional weight. He assured your committee that he has gone into the matter carefully, and stated that there can be no question that the walls are strong enough. On the other hand the committee of architects is of the contrary opinion.

Walls Not Strong Enough.

We understand that at the time the court house was built the architect had great difficulty in keeping the construction within the limit of cost fixed by the commissioners. Under such circumstances, it is fair to assume that the walls were not made any heavier than was necessary to carry the present structure. The possibility of using the present structure while the additions are being made, is in the opinion of your committee, very important. We do not know where the courts and the county offices could be temporarily located in case the vacating of the building became necessary.

The committee then said portions of the building would have to be vacated, and that if Mr. Osterling is wrong in his assumption that the present walls are sufficiently strong to carry the additional weight, it will not be possible to occupy the building at all, which means great loss. It says there would be little relief from noise by the courts being placed but two stories higher, which is supported by the opinions of competent architects. False ceilings would decrease the difficulty in hearing in the court rooms.

Offices That Should Be Removed.

The report states that the removal of other offices can be accomplished without any inconvenience, such as those of the treasurer, controller, commissioners, recorder, county engineer and similar offices. The offices of the prothonotary, register, sheriff and clerk of courts are the only offices that should remain in

the present building. The committee says it believes it a mistake to get too large a county building and keep everything under one roof, because of congestion in elevators and corridors.

Comparing New York and Philadelphia, the committee says it believes New York's system is the best. After discussing the benefits of separate buildings for county and municipal purposes, the committee says:

Your committee is of the opinion that the county commissioners ought not to hesitate to acquire additional land in the neighborhood of the court house, with the idea of meeting the wants of the public business by the erection of new buildings as they are required. There is no reason to doubt that if the county should acquire real estate in the neighborhood of the court house, and borrowed the money for the purpose, the enhancement in value would save it from any loss.

Want Whole Square Purchased.

We recommend the purchase of all the rest of the square bounded by Ross, Diamond, Grant streets and Fourth avenue. The cost would probably not exceed $1,500,000. The county would then have abundance of room for additional buildings to meet the needs of the public service as they arise. Such buildings might be made economical in construction, efficient in use and architectural ornaments to the city.

It is to be deeply regretted that this land, or a part of it, was not acquired by the county just after the Third Presbyterian church was partially destroyed by fire. If this land be not purchased now, it is highly probable that a high building will be erected upon Diamond street, and thereby the light from that side will be almost entirely cut off. We have had some experience of the cutting off of light by the erection of a high building on Grant street. But this is the side on which a high building does the least harm, because the light is reflected from it.

Might Cut Off Light.

If such a building were erected on Diamond street, the rooms on the Diamond street side would, in our opinion, during most of the year, be too dark for use without artificial light, even if two stories were added to the court house. If the county commissioners wait until modern buildings are erected upon this property it is not likely that it ever can be acquired.

The committee adds that the amount required to construct the additional stories would purchase this square and provide for an office building necessary to answer the present needs of the public. The cost of doing this would be so small comparatively that the taxpayers would not feel it, and concludes:

The present assessed value of the taxable property in the county is $750,804,755. The present debt of the county is $4,543,538 77, about six-tenths of 1 per cent. The raising of the sum, $1,000,000, that is, to 1 per cent of the assessed valuation, would probably provide all the money necessary, and the interest on the bonds would be so small as to be unappreciable in the annual tax levy. Immediately after the building of the present court house the debt amounted to 1 8-10 per cent, and no complaint was made.

IRON MINING COMPANIES OF IDAHO CONSOLIDATED

Pennsylvania and Ohio Men Are Represented in the New Organization.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

SALT LAKE, UTAH, Jan. 6.—The Iron Springs Consolidated Mining Company has been incorporated under Arizona laws with its principal offices at Weiser, Ida., and its eastern office at Youngstown, O. The corporation has $5,000,000 capital fully paid.

Officers and directors of the company are: D. C. Nevin, president and general manager, Weiser, Idaho; J. Edie Stewart, first vice president, Wooster, O.; H. G. Bye, second vice president, Youngstown, O.; William P. Barnum, secretary, Youngstown; H. F. March, assistant secretary, Weiser; James B. Nevin, treasurer, Youngstown; directors, J. E. Stewart, D. C. Nevin, H. C. Bye, William P. Barnum, Harry A. Karch, James E. Nevin, Emil J. Anderson, Youngstown; Howard Denison, Iron Springs, Idaho; John Fulton, Canonsburg, Pa.; H. E. Peterson, Pittsburgh, and Mark L. Sheldon, Salem, N. Y.

The following companies have been included in the merger: Iron Springs Mining Company, Paetolian and Holbrook Mining Company, Limited, and a controlling interest in the Iron Mountain Mining and Reduction Company, also properties on Bear river and Bear creek, all in Washington county, Idaho.

BRYAN SAYS PRESIDENT IS WORTHY OF SUPPORT

Praises Mr. Roosevelt for His Measures of Reform, and Urges Democrats to Stand by Him.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

MEMPHIS, TENN., Jan. 6.—A banquet was tendered William J. Bryan tonight by the Jackson club of Memphis. Hardwig Peres, president of the club, introduced Mr. Bryan as the next president of the United States.

After speaking of the causes which in part contributed to the recent defeat of the Democratic party, Mr. Bryan said the platform adopted at Kansas City expressed the views of more Democrats than any platform adopted since. He praised several recommendations made by President Roosevelt and spoke of him as follows:

Just now President Roosevelt gives some promise of beginning a reform movement. He recommends legislation which will inform the public in regard to campaign contributions. This is a far-reaching recommendation, and should receive the earnest support of every Democrat.

He also recommends an enlargement of the scope of the Interstate commerce law. This, too, is a step in the right direction, and he should receive the support of all Democrats in any efforts which he makes to bring the railroads under a strict control.

RICE'S SUIT DISMISSED.

Marietta Man Is Knocked Out in First Round of His Fight Against Standard Oil Company.

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The motion of counsel for the Standard Oil Company to strike out the declaration of the suit of George Rice of Marietta, O., asking the dissolution of the corporation, was granted today in the United States court by Judge Lanning. This means the defeat of Rice, who sued the big company on the claim it had ruined his oil business, worth $50,000 profits a year.

Rice sued under the Sherman anti-trust act, but the court, in dismissing the suit, declares the allegations do not specify when the alleged conspiracies were committed, therefore the defendants have nothing to answer.

OIL PROPERTY SOLD.

Pittsburgh-Salt Lake Company Acquires Large Holdings in Unita Field of Wyoming.

SALT LAKE, UTAH, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The Atlantic and Pacific Oil Company's big holdings in the Unita country field of Wyoming have been transferred to the Pittsburgh-Salt Lake Oil Company for a consideration ranging far up in the thousands.

The deal was effected by C. A. Dorn, representative of the Oil Well Supply Company. The Hearst estate and R. V. Ellis of California represented the Atlantic and Pacific and A. V. Taylor the Pittsburgh-Salt Lake concern. The new owners will begin extensive development operations in the spring.

Heart of Defender Victim Found.

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—While men were searching for dead bodies from the towboat Defender today they found a human heart lying in one of the barges ahead of the boat. Not a valve was left, everything having been removed as though by a surgeon's knife.

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SUNKEN WARSHIPS MAY BE REPAIRED

Thrifty Japan Sends Naval Experts to Raise the Russian Wrecks.

NOGI ARMY RECEIVES THANKS

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]

TOKYO, Jan. 6.—Private advices received here today from Port Arthur indicate that nearly all the armored vessels of the Port Arthur squadron can be raised and put in serviceable condition. A large force of the best men in the Japanese navy has been sent to Port Arthur to superintend the work of raising these vessels, and to make such temporary repairs as will enable them to be brought to the home ship yards.

The diet at a special session today adopted a resolution felicitating the emperor on the success of the year's campaigning climaxed by the fall of Port Arthur, attributed it to the emperor's illustrious virtue and thanked Gen. Nogi and the Third army for their glorious achievements.

A report received at noon today details Thursday's transfer of prisoners as follows:

"The Fifth rifle regiment, 56 officers and 1,547 men; the Thirteenth, 38 officers and 995 men; the Fourteenth, 32 officers and 882 men; the Fifteenth, 50 officers and 1,353 men; the Sixteenth, 30 officers and 1,004 men; total, 206 officers and 5,451 men."

Only 80 Russian officers have accepted parole. All the regular Russian troops have marched out of Port Arthur and will leave for Port Dalny today.

IRKUTSK, Jan. 6.—Many troop trains are passing through this place on the way to reinforce the Russian army in Manchuria. The news of the fall of Port Arthur was received by the new soldiers with sadness, but they express an undiminished determination to retake it. The chief regret expressed by soldiers and officers is that they did not arrive in time to relieve the heroic garrison.

PARIS, Jan. 6.—Japanese Minister Motono presided at a banquet tonight of the Japanese colony in celebration of the fall of Port Arthur.

MARSHAL OYAMA BROKE NEWS TO KUROPATKIN

On Learning of Port Arthu's Fall, the Russians Began a More Furious Cannonade Than Ever.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

BERLIN, Jan. 7.—The Lokal Anzeiger's Mukden correspondent in a dispatch dated January 6, says:

"Field Marshal Oyama has sent a letter to Gen. Kuropatkin communicating the news of the capitulation of Port Arthur, and praising the bravery of its defenders. The effect of the news was especially confounding, last reports anticipating a long resistance. It is believed it will immediately influence the situation on the Shakhe river.

"Continued and intense cannonading has been heard since dawn along the railroad near Sinchinpu and Shakhe."

ARE ON WAY TO RUSSIA.

This, Shipping Men Believe, Is the Destination of Torpedo Boats Built by Lewis Nixon.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—It is believed among shipping men that the sections which will eventually compose nine torpedo boats, built by Lewis Nixon, were placed on board a freight steamer somewhere in New York harbor today to be shipped to a Russian port. Mr. Nixon is silent as to their destination.

The Gregory, another craft built by Mr. Nixon, has not been reported since she sailed from this port yesterday. It was intimated today that she also may have been loaded bodily on the deck of a transatlantic ship.

KILLED WITHOUT WOUNDS BY HUGE JAPANESE SHELLS

LONDON, Jan. 7.—According to the Daily Mail's correspondent at Chefoo Baron Kleist, a Russian naval officer, says the Japanese fire on the Port Arthur forts was so accurate that the men regarded an order to serve in a fort as a sentence of death. Many died without visible wounds from the mere violence of the concussion of huge Japanese shells, which made blood burst from the eyes, mouth and nostrils.

THE HORSE BELONGED TO JAPAN ANYHOW

LONDON, Jan. 7.—A special dispatch from Tokyo says that at the conclusion of the interview between Gens. Nogi and Stoessel the latter begged to be allowed to present to Gen. Nogi his favorite Arabian charger. Gen. Nogi courteously declined personal acceptance, pointing out that it came under the category of war material to be surrendered, but he consented to accept the animal in the name of the Japanese army.

JAPAN IS FORTIFYING ISLAND OF QUELPART

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Minister Allen has informed the state department that he has been advised by the Korean government that a Japanese vessel has landed a large number of men and supplies on the island of Quelpart, and that fortifications are being erected there. Quelpart is near the track of vessels plying between Shanghai and Japan, and the north.

GOTHAM'S JAPANESE TO CELEBRATE VICTORY

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Arrangements have been completed for a mass meeting of Japanese citizens to be held in Carnegie hall next Sunday afternoon to celebrate the surrender of Port Arthur by the Russians. Formal invitations have been extended to only two Americans: Gen. Stewart L. Woodford and Alexander Tison, who will deliver addresses.

ESCAPED FROM HOSPITAL.

Dressed Only in Blanket and Slippers Woman Patient Flees Through Storm.

During the heavy snow storm last night, Mrs. Carrie Payton eluded her nurse and escaped from the West Penn hospital with only a blanket wrapped about her and a pair of slippers on her feet. She ran down the hillside below the hospital and across the Pennsylvania railroad tracks to Penn avenue and Thirty-third street, where she boarded a car bound for Wilkinsburg, where she has relatives living.

At Penn and Frankstown avenues Mrs. Payton was arrested by Special Officer C. P. Charlton and sent to No. 6 police station. The hospital officials did not know of the woman's escape till notified by the police. She was taken back in an ambulance. Mrs. Payton was sent to the hospital last month for treatment for a skin disease and is thought to be slightly demented. She lived with her husband and three children in Allegheny.

Defended Himself With Bottle.

E. E. Johnston of 121 Foster street, fearing, he alleges, that he was about to be robbed of a large sum of money he had on his person, ran into a restaurant in Diamond street and grabbing up a ketchup bottle struck Louis Gallagher of Fulton street on the head with it, inflicting a severe wound. Both men and Arthur Johan, Gallagher's companion, were arrested and sent to Central station. City Physician McCandless dressed Gallagher's wound. Johnston claims the two men had been following him.

Pittsburghers at Atlantic City.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburgh people are registered at the Chalfonte: Miss Louise Estep, William S. Anderson, Katherine Anderson and maid; T. F. Negley and L. C. Woods.

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SOLONS SPLIT ON PEABODY

Continued from First Page.

Sergeant-at-Arms Berry of the senate to arrest all absent members. Berry at once hastened down the hall to the house and demanded admittance. He pushed past Doorkeeper Ingersoll and was looking for senators when Special Officer Sterling came up.

"What do you want?" asked Sterling.

"I want to get some senators," said Berry with a laugh.

"I've a mind to throw you out," rejoined Sterling.

The three men scuffled a little, laughing all the while, and then Berry returned to the senate alone.

Several Republican senators returned to the house and took part in the proceedings held there until the final adjournment. The doors were then locked and no member was permitted to pass out.

Again and again Representative Frewen raised the point of order that no proper joint session was being held, and every time the speaker ruled him out of order.

Mr. Frewen was persistent, and appealed from the decision of the chair. The speaker was sustained by a vote of 49 to 6.

Representative Griffith then presented a protest from Gov. Peabody, which was read by the clerk. It covered the history of the recent election in Denver, and suggested to the legislature that it was the duty of that body to make a complete investigation of the election. It protested against the canvass of the votes until the investigation had been concluded and the number of legal votes cast for each candidate had been ascertained.

Accompanying the protest was a resolution presented by Mr. Griffith, urging the appointment of a committee of 10 from the house and five from the senate investigate the vote and report daily to the legislature, with the final report not later than Monday afternoon.

The reading of the governor's protest had lasted about a minute when Representative Frewen raised the point of order that it was not germane to any subject under consideration. He was ruled out of order, raised his point of order again, and once more was declared out of order. He appealed from the decision of the chair, and the speaker refused to put his appeal.

Representative Street moved an adjournment and the speaker would not entertain it. Mr. Street insisted that his motion was in order, according to the rules. He was informed by the speaker that this was a joint session, and no rules had been adopted for the control of a joint session.

"Then all the more, Mr. Speaker," shouted Mr. Frewen, "are you proceeding without warrant in law."

"Continue the reading," said the speaker to the clerk.

Mr. Street broke in every 10 seconds with a question of personal privilege, and every now and then with the point of order that no quorum was present. The speaker declined to notice him.

After the reading of the resolution, Mr. Griffith demanded a roll call on its adoption. Several members made speeches explaining their votes, Republican Senator Morgan declaring that he only voted "aye" because he did not wish to ally himself with the Democratic party, but he wished to say that the presiding officer of the senate had been insulted by the house.

The resolution was adopted by a vote of 31 ayes and 1 nay, the negative vote being cast by the Republican senator, Wood. Seven Republican senators were present and voted for the resolution. The other two, Democratic senators, Adams and Taylor, were present and did not vote.

Throughout the roll call Representative Street constantly raised the point of order that no quorum was present, and was as constantly ruled out of order. Finally the speaker lost patience.

"You will take your seat," he demanded sharply.

"I will not," replied Mr. Street, with energy.

The speaker was about to summon the sergeant-at-arms, but several Republican members shook their heads at him and he refrained.

Mr. Street, having said he would not take his seat, immediately forswore himself and sat down. He lighted a cigar and slowly sent long columns of blue smoke into the air. Every time he sent up the smoke he would look at the little blue cloud, then smile at the speaker, intimating, as plainly as though he said it in words, "That's for you."

After the adoption of the Griffith resolution, a motion to dissolve the joint session was carried. Speaker Dickson then called the house to order, and it promptly adjourned.

Charged With Passing Worthless Checks.

LIMA, O., Jan. 6.—C. E. Coons, general railway contractor, who undertook the construction of the Sandusky Southwestern traction line, was arrested today charged with passing worthless checks drawn on Cleveland and Lima banks.

WILL NOT TAKE BAIL FOR NAN PATTERSON

Court Decides Actress Must Remain in Jail Until Third Trial. Her Father Collapses.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Supreme Court Justice Greenbaum decided this afternoon that Nan Patterson should not be admitted to bail. Under this decision she will have to remain in the Tombs until District Attorney Jerome is ready to go ahead with a new trial. Mr. Jerome says this will be two months at least.

On the grounds that the mere pecuniary loss in the forfeit of bail would not be likely to influence Nan Patterson or any one else in seeking to escape punishment by death, and that what the jury failed to do in the first instance might be done by a subsequent jury, Justice Greenbaum denied the application for bail.

Miss Patterson became hysterical this afternoon when Abraham Levy, her counsel, went to the Tombs and informed her of Justice Greenbaum's decision. She wept and waved her arms frantically, refusing to be comforted.

Later, when her father visited her the young woman tried to restrain her emotion, but finally threw her arms about her father's neck and burst into tears again. He, too, was overcome, and suddenly collapsed. It was necessary to send him home in a cab.

MAJ. SIBERT IS CALLED TO CONFER ABOUT RIVERS

Engineer of Pittsburgh District Goes to Washington at Request of Chairman Burton.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Maj. W. L. Sibert, United States engineer in charge of the rivers of the Pittsburgh district, was called to Washington today by Chairman Burton to appear before the rivers and harbors committee. Maj. Sibert, it is stated, is asked to furnish some detailed information as to the survey of the Ohio river and the condition of the locks and dams of the Monongahela.

He arrived this afternoon and was closeted with Mr. Burton for an hour. He will appear before a number of the members of the committee tomorrow again to finish the interview.

When seen this evening Maj. Sibert refused to discuss the subject of his talk or give his views upon state participation in the cost of river and harbor improvement. L. W. STRAYER.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—William Gillette in "The Admirable Crichton," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

NEW ALVIN—The Harry Davis Stock Company (augmented) in "Around the World in Eighty Days," 2 and 8 p. m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, headed by the great Spadoni, 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.

DUQUESNE—"The Strollers," 2 and 8 p. m.

GAYETY—"David Harum," 2 and 8 p. m.

BIJOU—"The Great Automobile Mystery," 2 and 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—"Why He Divorced Her," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—The World Beaters Burlesquers, 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Ice skating afternoon and evening. Hockey tonight, Calumet vs. Pittsburgh.

PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Pittsburgh orchestra, Emil Paur, conductor; "Midsummer Night's Dream," reading by George Riddle, Mendelssohn's music, 2:15 p. m.

PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—7:00 Free Organ recital, Edwin H. Lemare, city organist; all selections compositions of Mr. Lemare; 8 p. m.

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VICISSITUDES OF UNFROCKED PRIEST

The Rev. Dr. Irvine Dwells On Them in a Letter to the Public.

IS SUED FOR PRINTER'S BILL

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau, Press Building.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Jan. 6.

"The Vicissitudes of An Unfrocked Priest," is the subject of a public letter written by the Rev. Mr. I. N. W. Irvine, the principal figure in the famous Irvine-Talbot case. It is in part as follows:

The first consideration for the priest without a charge is, perhaps, the fact that he has passed the meridian of mortal life and that the world desires only young men to transact her business. He finds himself, as the world puts it, "up against it in the first stage of the game." Nobody wants him. He has passed "the dead line," and yet, if he were only just tried, his clear and well-trained mind and the traits of character developed by true devotion to duty would make him an invaluable servant in any man's employ.

It falls to the lot of the "priest without a charge" to step into an office for an interview, and give his references. He is dismissed with these terse words, said in jest: "But you see, sir, you would not be willing to tell a square lie if a man were to come and ask you whether I was in my office. You would not say I was out, so as to choke off reporters, agents and solicitors of money for some project, who so frequently waste a business man's time."

Well, but there must be something for a man of learning to do. He takes up a daily paper, looks over the ads, and his eye rests on this one: "Wanted—An educated man to earn $50 a week. No one but a high-priced man need apply."

He has struck gold! But he waits. He applies between 2 and 3 p. m. He finds a crowd waiting in an ante room; men who in their faces show they are above ordinary intelligence. One by one they come and go. It is his turn next. The position is offered to him at $15 a week, with the possibilities of earning $100 to $200. It is a book agency which is open to him.

The truth is, there are few fields open to a "priest without a charge." The business man over and over gives as his excuse for not employing him: "Sir, you are out of your sphere. A priest is a man of inexperience in our line of business."

The Roman church even of the disciplines a priest she puts him in some hospice where he may review his mistakes and ponder thereby. The Protestant churches have no such provisions. Their clergymen therefore are often in sore straits if "without a charge," unless they are fortunate enough to have rich friends to aid them, or have a private income of their own.

A married priest "without a charge" suffers the most, for his eyes often rest on a wife, once a comely young woman, perhaps of prominence and social standing, but who had given her heart to the young priest who, in some way, dared to ask her to be his bride. As he now watches the still beautiful face, marked with lines of care, as he is welcomed home after an unsuccessful venture to earn his livelihood in a modest way, the kiss of welcome, the word of encouragement without a syllable of reproach pierce his heart through and through.

Dr. Irvine was sued in the common pleas court today for an unpaid printer's bill. A summons was issued against him by Lawyer Augustus Ashton, counsel for John R. McKeirdige & Sons, printers and publishers, No. 927 Arch street.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—A new presentment against Bishop Talbot is being prepared by attorneys in Philadelphia, based chiefly on the charges contained in the first one. It will be signed by a number of persons in Bishop Talbot's diocese, and will then be brought to New York, where other signatures will be affixed.

The intention is to give Bishop Talbot reasonable time in which to bring his case before the house of bishops. If he should decline to take such action the presentment will be filed.

Should Legislate Against Syndicate.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Congressman James Kennedy has declared that syndicate control of theaters is a matter for legislative action. An effort is being made by a syndicate to control both the local houses. Certain stockholders in the Park theater refuse to accede to the demand of the syndicate and the threat is made that if they do not the two houses will be closed next year.

Indiana Town Ordered Sold.

SOUTH BEND, IND., Jan. 6.—The sheriff of LaPorte county was given authority in a writ of execution issued in the circuit court here today, to sell Michigan City, Ind., for $47,787 on a judgment against that city for $11,000 in favor of Agnes H. Phillips. The writ is the result of a suit by Agnes Phillips, who slipped on a defective sidewalk and was badly injured.

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SEVEN VICTIMS IN TWO WRECKS

Five Killed on Sand Patch Grade and Two on B. & O. Somerset Branch.

GAS CAUSES ONE DISASTER

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CONNELLSVILLE, Jan. 6.—Five men were killed in the wreck of a freight train on the Sand Patch grade of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad late morning. One of the dead, George M. Cameron, was a fireman, employed a week ago. He was 25 years old and leaves a widow and son in Johnstown. The other four were tramps, whose bodies have not been identified. If their bodies are not identified in a few days they will be buried at the scene of the wreck. The train was in charge of Conductor James Loveday of Connellsville and Engineer John Wood of Hyndman.

The train parted in the Sand Patch tunnel, and while it was being connected the front brakeman was overcome by the gases and smoke in the tunnel. Engineer Wood took him to the mouth of the tunnel in the engine, which was uncoupled from the rest of the train. Conductor Lockerby was pressed upon their return and he was given the same treatment. In the meantime the train started rolling slowly down the grade. By the time it reached the engine it had acquired considerable momentum and as the engine's air hose was not connected with the rest of the train the air brakes would not work. All the crew but the fireman and Cannon, his assistant, had left the train before it started. When the train started coasting down the grade the first fireman stayed off, but Cannon, after the whistle gave us a warning, attempted to stop the train. After a wild flight of eight miles down the the steep grade the entire train of 35 cars and the engine plunged over a sharp curve at Roddy's, between Glencoe and Philson. The four tramps and the fireman were found buried under the mass of wrecked freight and shattered cars.

SOMERSET, Jan. 6.—In a wreck on the Somerset and Cambria branch of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at 5:30 o'clock this evening two men were killed, an engine and several freight cars were almost demolished and traffic was blocked by the tearing up of the track.

The dead: John Mohaski, laborer, and Dominic Barone, laborer.

An engine pulling 14 freight cars was running from Jeannetown to Rockwood, and when near Milford, four miles from here, the snowdrifts covering the rails sent the engine from the trucks, all the cars following. The engine and nearly all of the cars were overturned, being piled upon and along the track. Mohaski and Barone were on one of the cars and were crushed to death. It is reported they were stealing a ride. All the trainmen escaped injury. The road was still blocked late tonight.

Loses Her City Hall.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS., Jan. 6.—The city hall, a two-story brick structure, completed in 1852, at a cost of $75,000, was destroyed by fire today. A food fair was in progress on the second floor.

The fire is believed to have been caused by the upsetting of a kerosene lamp. So rapidly did the building burn, the people in the structure barely escaped with their lives. It is believed valuable city papers have been destroyed. A city official said tonight the loss would be about $200,000.

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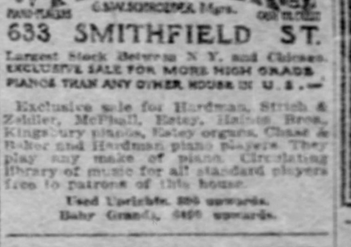

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ARE STILL TRYING TO HANG POWERS

Attorney Kinkead Tells of Renewed Efforts to Have Caleb Powers' Life.

PROMINENT MEN TO RESCUE

Robert C. Kinkead of Louisville was at the Hotel Schenley yesterday. Mr. Kinkead has been one of the counsel of Caleb Powers in all three of the trials he has undergone on charge of being a party to the assassination of Senator Goebel in 1900. When asked about the present condition of the Powers case Mr. Kinkead said:

"In December the court of appeals, by a vote of 4 to 3, reversed the judgment sentencing Powers to death. Since that decision was handed down the term of office of one of the four judges who voted for the reversal has expired, and Judge Cantrell, the judge of the circuit court, who sat as the trial judge in the first two trials of Powers, has become a member of the court of appeals in place of the retiring judge. On the day Judge Cantrell became a member of the court of appeals the attorney general of the state, whose duty it is to represent the state on all appeals affecting the commonwealth, moved the court of appeals to set aside the decision reversing the case and grant the state a rehearing, the object of which is to have the death sentence affirmed by the court of appeals as at present constituted.

"If this petition is sustained there will remain nothing for Powers but an appeal to the supreme court of the United States and if denied relief there, he will be hanged. It is our opinion that Judge Cantrell's sense of propriety will prompt him not to sit in a case on appeal that he has twice tried as a circuit judge, but there is no legal obstacle to his doing so.

"It is our belief that the rehearing will be denied the state and that Powers will be put to trial for the fourth time for his life in February, in the circuit court at Georgetown. He has exhausted all his means, and more, in his former three trials and appeals. His friends in Kentucky and elsewhere have assisted him generously, but he has never had at any trial a fund large enough to secure his witnesses (which he must do under our practice at his own expense) and pay the ordinary expenses of trial. Realizing the impossibility of his securing a semblance of a fair trial with the big odds against him—the most potent factor being a fund of $100,000 appropriated by a Goebelite legislature to be used for conviction—a committee of men in Kentucky has been organized, known as the Caleb Powers Defense Fund committee. It is composed of ex-Gov. Simon B. Buckner, candidate for the vice presidency on the Democratic ticket with Gen. Palmer in 1896; Gen. Basil W. Duke, one of Gen. John Morgan's most gallant Confederate generals, recently appointed by President Roosevelt one of the Shiloh battlefield commissioners; Col. Morris B. Belknap, the Republican candidate for governor of Kentucky in 1903; Col. Andrew Cowan, one of our most influential business men, and John Marshall, who was elected lieutenant governor of Kentucky in 1899, when Taylor was elected governor over Goebel, and who was deprived of the office of lieutenant governor by Beckham, now governor of Kentucky."

"How is Powers standing the strain?"

"Mr. Powers is a gentleman of high standing, a young man of the most remarkable nerve. He has been imprisoned now for nearly five years. He has stood the strain of three trials and although convicted every time the court of appeals has always reversed the judgment. His convictions have been brought about by packed juries, upon which none but Goebelites have been allowed to sit; by the most shameless and outrageous perjury and by intimidation of witnesses through the means of numerous indictments. Through it all Mr. Powers has steadfastly maintained his innocence and a calm confidence in the ultimate triumph of justice. Every one who knows the facts believe him innocent of any complicity in the murder of Goebel, and it is susceptible of proof that his prosecution is nothing more nor less than part of a political conspiracy hatched in Louisville after the murder of Goebel by shrewd Goebelites to wrest from the Republican party the control of affairs in Kentucky, which they had won in 1895-1898, and again in 1899. In short, Powers' crime consisted not in a conspiracy to kill Goebel, but in having been elected Republican secretary of state. As proof of this it is only necessary to state that the men who have been most prominent and brutal in these prosecutions are the men who have been rewarded by their Goebelite friends with the highest offices in our state.

"Mr. Powers is now in jail at Louisville and while his five years' imprisonment has greatly impaired his health, all that the prosecution has been able to do to him has not weakened his faith in his ultimate vindication."

WESTINGHOUSE CONCERN GETS METER CONTRACT

Mayor Hays and Director Bigelow Make Award for $51,532. Walker Is Angry.

The Pittsburgh Meter Company, a Westinghouse concern, was yesterday awarded the contract to supply the city with 5,000 water meters, the bid of the company for the contract being $51,532. Alderman J. D. Walker of the East End, who is the local representative of the Thompson Meter Company of Brooklyn, was intensely angry, claiming his company was the lowest bidder. The figures, however, show the Westinghouse concern was the lowest bidder, taking into consideration the bids received on fish-traps, ferrules and other appurtenances.

It is claimed by rival concerns that the bids on these extra parts were not read by Mayor Hays when they were opened on Tuesday. Director Bigelow admitted that the Thompson company was the lowest bidder on one size of the meters, but said that it would not pay the city to keep parts of this one style on hand for repairs.

The 5,000 meters which the city purchases of the Pittsburgh Meter Company is only the first installment, or about one-tenth of the number of meters which will be required to supply the entire city, but the company stands a good chance of getting the succeeding contracts on the grounds that there should be uniformity in the meters.

POLICE ARE REQUESTED TO SEARCH FOR MISSING WOMAN

Superintendent of Police Wallace yesterday was asked to locate Margaret Adams, aged 34, of 7326 Bennett street, East End, who disappeared from her home Thursday morning and has not been seen since. She is about 5 feet 4 inches in height, weighs about 120 pounds and has dark hair. The woman is slightly demented from a recent illness.

Will Drill More Artesian Wells.

After being defeated in their efforts to have councils authorize a filtration system, the water commissioners of McKeesport advertised for bids for the drilling of artesian wells on the water works property, and yesterday a contract was awarded to G. F. Johnston for the drilling of 10 wells. This will increase the city's well system to 25. The contract price was $4,914 50, including equipment.

G. A. R. Officers Installed.

The officers of Ell Hemphill post, No. 135, G. A. R., of Tarentum, were installed last evening as follows: Commander, J. C. Stewart, senior vice, Samuel Klingensmith; junior vice, W. F. Anderson; quartermaster, R. P. McCall; chaplain, Justice Charles Ehlinger; officer of the day, Harry Moore; officer of the guard, John Denny; adjutant, William White.

Something Interesting

will appear Sunday in the classified section of The Sunday Gazette.

THIEVES ARE BUSY IN ALLEGHENY

Many Jobs Are Done and Police Do Their Utmost to Prevent Publicity.

CROOKS NEEDED AT ELECTION

Thieves, second-story men and burglars whose specialties vary are working Allegheny in a manner that is startling, and although many of the jobs done recently were committed in daylight, the police have failed to make a single arrest. Within the past three weeks scores of complaints have been made at police headquarters of robberies in all parts of the city. The boldness of the work and the methods used indicate that a well-organized mob is lodged in the city and is reaping a harvest while the police and detectives vainly try to run it down.

Following the policy of the administration in all its departments, Supt. Campbell of the police bureau has kept secret, whenever it was possible, any information concerning these robberies. Asst. Supt. John Glenn has orders to keep a close mouth. He is given to understand that his position is not a talking one. Similar instructions have been given to the detectives, and one patrolman who recently divulged something to a reporter went "on the books" for 10 days for his effrontery. The operations of burglars have become so flagrant, however, that the indignation that has been aroused results almost to public clamor and the best efforts of those in authority to smother publicity have failed.

Denny Estate Houses Robbed.

Capt. William F. Aul of the Denny estate several days ago reported to the police that thieves had entered 1306 and 1310 Allegheny avenue and had cut out every foot of brass pipe fitting in the two big houses. Both have been vacant for several weeks. It was evident from the work that the burglars knew how to handle plumbers' tools. No estimate has been placed on the loss, but it will run up into hundreds of dollars, and it required one wagon at least to cart the pipe off. The police have been keeping an eye on junk yards, but so far the thieves have not run their heads into the noose. Residents in Allegheny avenue saw some men, evidently workmen, enter the Denny house on January 4, but thought nothing of it. The wagon in which the pipe was taken away was not seen by the neighbors.

While the family of John Forbes, at 848 St. Clair street, was out on Thursday afternoon, burglars went in through a rear door with a jimmy and ransacked the place. The job was evidently done leisurely and nothing in the house was overlooked. A quantity of clothes and four rings valued at $100 were taken. The police were notified and are watching the pawn shops.

Several houses in Arch street were broken into last week and clothing stolen in each of them. None of the jobs done up to the present have been big ones, but their frequency is causing alarm.

Thief Colony is Growing.

The police authorities assert stoutly that there are fewer thieves living in Allegheny at present than there have been for years. A walk through the First and Fourth wards, in the gambling houses and saloons, will convince anyone to the contrary. With the advent of cold weather the thief colony on the North Side began to increase in numbers, and today there are more crooks of all kinds in the town than have been there at any time within the memory of old residents.

It is not likely the administration will permit any meddling with this floating population until after election day. In campaign times thieves, gamblers and roustabouts are used for political purposes, and there will be no exception to this rule in the coming councilmanic fight. The fact that such persons are tolerated, if not encouraged, is corroborated by the police docket. A Gazette reporter looking through the police docket for December found that of 165 petty cases heard at Central station during the month, 102 were discharged without a penalty. A reprimand is the worst any of them got. The 165 were charged either with drunkenness or disorderly conduct. Usually more than 50 per cent of such prisoners are fined or given a light jail or workhouse sentence. Leniency must be shown, at least until after election day, and it appears that it is no dangerous thing these days to get a "jag" and "cut up" in the streets of Allegheny.

WANTS FOUR DETECTIVES TO RUN DOWN MURDERERS

Coroner Armstrong Will Make Proposition to County Commissioners. Why Criminals Escape.

Coroner Joseph G. Armstrong will ask the county commissioners to organize a detective bureau for the purpose of running down murderers. In his opinion the deputy coroners have enough to do without taking up the chase after murderers. Armstrong wants detectives stationed at the morgue and it will be their business to make murder investigations. He thinks four detectives could cover the territory, having two on night and day turns. These officers will not investigate other crimes, such as robberies, or hunt gambling houses or speakeasies.

At present the deputy coroner makes an investigation of a murder case. When he reaches the ground he takes the testimony of the witnesses and sends the body to the morgue for the purpose of holding a post-mortem. By that time the murderer has escaped. If detectives were at the coroner's disposal, those officers would accompany the deputy to the scene of the crime and then take up the hunt for the assailant.

During 1903 a county detective bureau was organized by former District Attorney John C. Haymaker, but the bureau has been abolished.

THINK SUSPECT IS WYNN.

Athletic Trainer Wanted in Charleroi for Embezzlement Under Arrest.

A man thought to be Guy W. Wynn, an athletic trainer of Bradford, Pa., was arrested by the Perkins detective agency in Franklin, Pa., yesterday and will be taken to Charleroi for identification early this morning.

Wynn was engaged as trainer for the Charleroi fire department last summer and was given $100 forfeit money with which to bind a match for a series of contests with the McKees Rocks volunteer fire department. He was also assigned to seek contributions from the neighborhood merchants. He is said to have raised $158 and together with the $100 forfeit money to have left town. The athletic contests were called off. The man arrested in Franklin was employed as a barber and claimed another name. Information was made against Wynn by William Parks, president of the Charleroi fire department, charging embezzlement and larceny by bailee.

YOUNG MAN IS MISSING.

P. E. Griffith Disappeared on Christmas and Has Not Returned.

Friends of Paul E. Griffith, aged 32, of 58 South Oakland Square, are concerned regarding his whereabouts. Griffith, who for nearly two and one-half years had been bookkeeper for the Tloby Bros. company, glass manufacturers of Sharpsburg, left his home on Christmas day and has not since returned.

He made his home with his mother, who stated yesterday that while she felt she knew the locality to which he had gone, she did not know his exact address or was sure just where he could be found. Mrs. Griffith says she is not worried, but expects he will return within a few days. Further than this she would not discuss the disappearance of her son.

Will Hold Revivals.

Evangelistic churches, especially those of the Presbyterian, United Presbyterian and Methodist Episcopal denominations, in this vicinity have prepared a series of nightly revival services for the coming week. In many instances visiting clergymen and evangelists have been called to assist at these services.

PAYROLL CROWD HAS ULTIMATUM

Will Be Delivered to Larkin Today After Meeting of "Young Men's Republican Club."

CITIZENS LEADERS DODGING

The Young Men's Republican club, an organization commanded by city employes and composed in large part of Citizen party "workers," will "throw the bluff" into Controller John B. Larkin today, as one of the members expressed it yesterday. The organization will meet in the public safety building at 2 p. m., and, after the meeting, it is probable a delegation will wait upon the controller, convey the association's ultimatum to him and "terrify" him with the column which the "Young Men's Republican" club, as the Independent party, will have on the official ballot. This is the ultimatum which the "Young Men's Republican" club intends to convey to Larkin, unless its managers change their mind over night:

"If you expect us to vote for you, the Orphans' candidate, you must compel the Orphans to indorse the Citizens party's ticket for ward officers and election boards. You can't expect us to hustle for votes for you when your friends, the Orphans, are cutting the throat of the Citizens party by voting for Republican ward officers and election boards."

Everybody knows, of course, that the city administration did not indorse Larkin because of any love it has for him, but that, on the contrary, it expects Larkin to pull the administration through the fight for the election boards. Mayor Hays is very angry because the Orphans have declined to commit themselves to fusion with the Citizens, and it is understood the mayor is managing the scheme which the "Young Men's Republican club" may spring today.

The meeting between the controller and the city employes or their representatives will probably be private. The controller, it is surmised, will have small patience with the delegation.

After the controller has given his answer the fun may break loose. Some of Larkin's friends are enthusiastic enough to believe that he could afford to refuse the city administration's indorsement and make the campaign for the controllership on his record.

The Republicans of the Thirty-ninth ward, formerly Elliott borough, will hold a suggestion meeting in the school house tonight, to suggest candidates to go before the Republican primary to be held next Saturday. Although City Solicitor Rodgers has not yet given his opinion whether the new ward is entitled to a select councilman, the suggestion meeting will name candidates for select council. Candidates for school directors, of whom two are to be elected, will also be suggested.

The Republican committee of the Thirty-fifth ward adopted resolutions last night indorsing the candidacy of A. C. McLean for the Republican nomination for controller. Mr. McLean is principal of the Thirty-fifth ward schools. The resolutions recite that Prof. McLean's "standing in the community and his personal ability render him a peculiarly suitable man for the honor," and that the committee, therefore, "heartily and with pride" indorses his candidacy.

GAVE HIMSELF UP.

Man Charged With Theft of 1,000 Game Chickens Surrenders to Authorities of Wheeling.

Detective Henry Frohme of Wheeling went to that city without his prisoner last night. S. L. Dickson, who was arrested here two weeks ago on charges of burglary committed there, gave himself up in Wheeling yesterday while the detective was waiting here for him with requisition papers. The hearing in the case was to be held this morning, Dickson being under bond to appear. However, after making a fight against extradition, Dickson went to Wheeling yesterday and gave himself up.

Dickson is charged with stealing over 1,000 game chickens. He is a well known hotel keeper in Wheeling and had a number of negroes in his employ who, it is alleged, stole chickens for him at night. He was arrested here by Detectives Leff and Aymer. He secured an attorney and made application for release on habeas corpus proceedings. The application was refused by Judge Frazer and Dickson secured bail pending the action of the governor granting requisition. This was done yesterday, but before the papers arrived Dickson went to Wheeling and surrendered.

Shea at the Bijou.

Thomas E. Shea will be seen at the Bijou theater all next week under the management of Nixon and Zimmerman, in a selection of standard plays. For presentation here he has selected "The Bells" (his own version) for Monday, Wednesday and Friday evening performances; "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" for the Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evening performances, and "Banished by the King" for the Monday, Wednesday and Saturday bargain matinees.

GOT ALONG

A Pretty Girl of 17 With Energy.

"During the winter of 1901-02 (I was then 17 years of age) I attended a Grammar school in Rolla, N. Dak., staying with some friends of ours and working for my board between school hours.

"I used to get up early in the morning to do my housework, but as those people got up very late I would not cook breakfast, but only make the coffee. Tired of working and in a hurry to go to school, I would eat but a snack and a cup of strong coffee for my breakfast and it was not long until I got to be nervous, had headaches and could not sleep.

"One day our Prof. Young was telling us what effect coffee had on one's system. I compared his words with how I felt and found that the coffee was ruining my health. So I tried to quit, but found I was a slave to it, but quit just the same. I did not know what to drink—I hated milk or tea, so I would drink nothing but water; got poor and thin and finally left school to remove to Selma, Wash., where at present, by the constant use of Postum, you can find me a bright, healthy girl. After we settled down papa opened a grocery store.

"At this time I was so ill I could not do a thing, and mamma was anxious about me. She would prepare some coffee and try to have me drink it in place of water, but every time I drank it I noticed it made me worse. One day, while I was looking around in the store, I noticed your Postum as a food-drink. I asked papa if he knew what it was, but he said he did not, but found he had to keep it, so I took a package of it home and said I would try it; made it according to directions and it was delicious. After using Postum two weeks I was much less nervous and noticed I was getting a little fatter, so I persuaded mamma to use it for the whole family. Every one of them liked it and now they all complain if they cannot have Postum.

"After a while I got to be healthy and tired of being indoors. I went out to take orders for the store, and many a customer I persuaded to use Postum.

"One lady told me that they used coffee because they could get premiums for the wrappers, but she admitted they did not like coffee at all. I left them a package of Postum on trial and the next time I came around she returned it—said they did not like it. She hadn't made it right. It was about dinner time, so I said, 'Let me make it for you; I am sure you will like it,' so I prepared the drink according to directions and had dinner with them, and they all said it was delicious and have used nothing else since. That lady thanked me afterward for Postum; it improved their health she said." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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Do You Attend a Matinee Today?

Don't go to the bother of cooking dinner (we are speaking to women), but come and dine with us—our 50c Fried Chicken and Hot Waffle Dinner is still the leading feature of this week's menu. Waffles with maple syrup, crisp fried chicken, julienne potatoes, coldslaw, pie or ice cream, tea or coffee. Great, isn't it?

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Women's Rubbers for high Cuban or French Heels, 65c pair.
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Things for and Against Snowy Weather.

There's but a short transition from snow to ice, and while everyone who has been bred in a land where snow falls delights in its feathery whiteness, yet it is policy to shovel it away before it turns the sidewalks into icy snares.

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Fine furs are certainly a luxury, nevertheless they may be purchased on an economical basis. They are ticklish things to buy, so it is not always the most economical in the long run to buy the cheapest fur unless from a reliable house.

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All one-piece Alaska Seal Caps that were $10.00, today $5.00; that were $20.00, today $10.00; that were $25.00, today $12.50.
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Saturday, January 7, 1905.

With the formal opening of the Eye and Ear hospital Monday next an important addition will be made to the number of Pittsburgh institutions devoted to the relief of distress. The new hospital is one of the most substantial and completely equipped institutions of the kind in existence, and it will do a work of great usefulness. The ladies to whose efforts are due the establishment of this worthy institution have laid the community under a debt of gratitude.

Director Bigelow suggests an alluring idea of elevated electric roads above the steam railroad tracks for suburban traffic. The plan is new and novel, but practical from an engineering point of view. The Gazette does not know whether it is being seriously considered by the Pennsylvania railroad, but is of the opinion it would be cheaper than the addition of lateral extension of the present roadbed through the populous district. There is an enormous traffic to the eastward and improved facilities would build it rapidly to greater proportions. The unique plan proposed would do much to relieve congestion.

In the death of Ward R. Bliss of Delaware county the Pennsylvania legislature has lost one of its most active and capable members. Mr. Bliss was entering upon his ninth consecutive term as a member of the house of representatives, a sufficient indication of the esteem in which he was held by the people of his county. He had been for several sessions chairman of the committee on appropriations, and had he lived would doubtless have been again appointed to that important post. He had often been prominently mentioned for the speakership, an office he was well qualified to fill, as he was thoroughly versed in parliamentary practice. Mr. Bliss will be missed from the legislature and mourned by a host of personal friends.

Former Congressman Robert W. Tayler of Youngstown has been appointed by President Roosevelt to be United States court judge for the northern district of Ohio to succeed Judge Wing, resigned. Mr. Tayler is a lawyer of distinction, an authority on constitutional law, and should make a good record on the bench. He first came into general public notice on the occasion of his election to congress from the district formerly represented by William McKinley, from which office he resigned. He has been more recently in the public eye as chief counsel for the contestants of the right of Mormon Apostle Reed B. Smoot to a seat in the United States senate. He is widely known as a man of clean character as well as of exceptional ability.

Director Bigelow's suggestion that Allegheny be consolidated with the Pittsburgh postoffice district is a good one from various points of view. It is within a shorter radius of delivery than the East End of Pittsburgh and a large section of the South Side, and residents of Allegheny will get their mail just as quickly and frequently sooner by direct service from Pittsburgh. The Allegheny postoffice will remain as a branch office, furnishing local facilities for transaction of postal business. But what we believe will particularly appeal to the people of Allegheny and Pittsburgh alike is that it will be the first step toward the formal consolidation of two cities which are parts of one community united by identity of interests.

George F. Edmunds, former senator from Vermont, is seldom heard from in these days, but when he discusses such a subject as Mormonism his words attract attention because of the leading part he took in forcing the church to make an official renunciation of polygamy. Mr. Edmunds now proposes that the United States amend the Constitution so as to prohibit polygamy and prevent any polygamous person from holding office in the United States. He thinks such radical action would do much toward eradicating the evil which has become such a menace, but to obtain the passage of a constitutional amendment is almost a hopeless undertaking. The golden opportunity for demolishing the temple of Mormonism was afforded when Utah was still a territory, and Senator Edmunds threatened that if it continued its defiance the corporate life of the institution would be dissolved. It was this threat that hastened compliance in form with the demand that Mormons should abolish plural marriage. It was then that the new revelation against polygamy was promulgated, but it has been observed in neither spirit nor letter since the admission of the state. If the Mormon headquarters at Salt Lake had then been wiped out it would have had hard work to find a home in any state, while the government could have prevented its entrance to a territory.

Another cut of 5 cents a barrel in the price of crude petroleum comes as a new year discouragement to Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Ohio producers. The cause must be sought outside the region embraced by these three states. They are not increasing their production of high-grade oil. The situation is different in Kansas and Texas. The oils of those states are of inferior qualities, but they yield a percentage of illuminant and a number of by-products. The pipe line east from Kansas brings that field fully into the market, and the Texas fields find their outlet by pipe lines to the Gulf coast and tank steamers. Those distant territories are the depressing influence that weighs down the eastern market, and it is not easy to forecast the extent of their pressure.

Discreditable Attacks.

Newspapers joining in the vicious attacks upon Gov. Pennypacker should reflect that in so doing they are putting discredit upon the press. Even if his ideas of press regulation be objectionable to them they should reflect that they have no right to allow a class grievance to cause them to loose sight of his public services. His zeal for the public welfare, his diligent care of the interests of the commonwealth and the shining integrity of his private and public life are indisputable. When the press ignores these things to denounce him because of his attitude toward their particular interests they surrender the position of being exponents of public sentiment and make themselves organs of private spite.

We regret to note that some newspapers, ordinarily correct in tone and respectable in conduct, have lost their heads over this matter and are indulging in language which they will regret. They should reflect that any grievance they may feel as newspapers is not necessarily shared by the public, and if they will take the trouble to inquire they will find that they do not have the sympathy of the community in attacks upon the governor, in whose conscientiousness the people have a confidence which is well bestowed and which is not to be shaken by newspaper attacks the selfish animus of which is manifest.

The Powers Case.

The staff correspondence of The Gazette have familiarized our readers with the details of the case of Caleb Powers. He has been tried three times and convicted of complicity in the murder of Senator Goebel, although the facts in the case, fairly considered, demonstrate his innocence. Three times has the verdict been set aside by the Kentucky court of appeals, but as the result of this continued persecution an innocent man has been confined in jail for nearly five years and still rests under an indictment of murder.

We publish elsewhere today an interview with Mr. Robert C. Kinkead about the present status of the case. Mr. Kinkead has been counsel for Powers from the first. It appears that recently the attorney general of Kentucky has asked a rehearing of the case by the court of appeals. That court recently set aside the verdict against Powers and ordered a new trial. Since then Judge Cantrill, who presided in two of the trials and made himself notorious by unscrupulous partisanship, has taken his seat upon the bench of the court of appeals. The court is composed of five Democrats and two Republicans, but granted a new trial by a vote of 4 to 3. A change of one vote would make the court stand 4 to 3 against a new trial, which will leave Powers subject to the death sentence imposed upon him at the last trial.

The circumstances of this case leave no doubt that Powers is suffering solely by reason of the fact that he is a Republican leader. If he had not been secretary of state at the time of the commission of the murder and prominent in the Republican party his name would never have been connected with the crime. He is entitled to the sympathy and support of Republicans everywhere.

Water Meters and Rates.

With the letting of the contract for $51,000 worth of meters to the Pittsburgh Meter Company the first really practical step toward metering and filtration of the city water supply has been taken. The meters naturally precede the filtration. Their installation should have been begun immediately after the bond issue of 1899, in which they were authorized. Had the work been started at that time the service would now be pretty well covered and the city would have been saved many thousands of dollars. In this case, as in others, it is better late than never, and now that a contract has been let the public may justly expect the work of installation to be pushed aggressively.

It is a fact that Pittsburgh water consumers have paid excessive rates for their supply for a long term of years. A few have beaten the tax by profligate waste or unfair rating, which has added to the excess burden upon the ordinary consumer. The introduction of meters will put an end to the injustice of unequal rates and will tend to decrease the total cost of the service. The correction of basic rates, however, is in the hands of councils and ought to be attended to, now that the project for purchase of the South Side plant is on the boards. The excessive rates for the city supply have had the effect of enhancing the profits of the private corporation and inflating the value of its franchise, and to continue those rates will be to put up the price of the old plant against the city. It is time for the finance committee and councils to get busy in the public interest.

Russia's Troubles.

Disorders increase throughout Russia and petitions to the czar for a popular assembly continue in the face of the emperor's recent declaration that they must cease. Criticism of official actions in the newspapers are bolder than ever before, despite the suppression of the Russ for overstepping the line of privilege. Obviously advantage is being taken of the preoccupation of the army by every dissatisfied element in the empire. It may be suspected besides that men of high place are in collusion with the agitators, whether in good faith or as a means to discredit the liberal tendencies of M. Witte and Prince Sviatopolk-Mirsky.

In the meantime those in control of affairs at St. Petersburg appear determined to make at least one more desperate effort to turn the tide of war in Manchuria before heeding the growing demands for peace. It is reported at St. Petersburg that orders have been sent to Gen. Kuropatkin to attack Marshal Oyama's forces at once before there is time to reinforce him with the troops at Port Arthur. If this report be true, terrible fighting will soon occur under adverse conditions, and unless past events are valueless as basis for judgment Kuropatkin will suffer another defeat. The Japanese have the advantage of fortified positions and of being better supplied with clothing, subsistence and munitions than the Russians.

The Business Situation.

Nothing occurred during the first week of the new year to mar business prospects. On the contrary, evidence was forthcoming to prove that the previous reports of improvement had not been exaggerated. Of this character was the statement of the earnings of the great Pennsylvania system for November. Both gross and net were larger than for any corresponding period in the history of the corporation, reflecting the revival of industrial activity within its territory. Of the same character was the report of the revenues of the general government for the month of December. There was an increase for the month of $2,360,000, of which $1,137,000 was credited to internal revenue, which means that business paying government tax was larger last month than for the corresponding month a year ago. Other statistics in line with these might also be cited. The effect is to strengthen confidence in the predictions made for the future.

A matter for congratulation was the comparative quietude which prevailed in speculative circles. Two events of the week had been looked forward to as a stimulus to speculative activity in the stock market. These were the fall of Port Arthur and the decision in the Northern Securities case. The market had the benefit of both on the first business day of the year, but the effect scarcely lasted through the day. Japanese bonds rallied in the London market, and the shares of the roads affected by the Northern Securities decision advanced slightly in Wall street, and then the market both here and abroad subsided into dullness. In the many glowing predictions made for 1905 there was but one fear expressed, and that was connected with the stock market. If the latter became rampantly active, financial excesses were certain to follow and disturb legitimate business operations. The first week in Wall street produced nothing to cause apprehension.

In industrial circles every effort is being made to meet the demand which is in sight. In the Connellsville coke region the year started with a larger number of ovens in operation than ever before. A resumption of mining operations in the Pittsburgh district has followed the shipment of coal to southern markets. The output of iron and steel is increasing and the demand is firmly maintaining the recent advance in prices. Copper has advanced a quarter of a cent a pound during the week, and the price is now at the highest reached last year. A slight recovery occurred in cotton, but that market is still in a more or less demoralized condition, which is directly traceable to the previous wild speculation in the staple.

Despite a resumption of gold exports on a liberal scale, the general money market has remained easy and promises to continue in that condition for some time to come. There are two factors which contribute to this state of the market. One is the increase in money in circulation. Compared with one year ago, this increase amounts to more than $100,000,000, of which $67,700,000 is gold coin and gold certificates. The other factor is the absolute confidence in the people's depositories, which renders every dollar available for the use of business and naturally increases the volume of bank credit. In Pittsburgh alone the banking institutions are carrying $42,000,000 more deposits today than a year ago. There is no incentive to hoard money, and the banking habit, as it might be called, is being stimulated all over the country. This is a good thing for business, inasmuch as it increases the power of banks to extend credit and encourage enterprize by offering easier terms; but at the same time it involves the necessity for greater care on the part of bankers not to get their funds so tied up as to be unable to promptly meet the demands of depositors under conditions less favorable than at present.

The Dispatch, as usual, tries to claim all credit for supporting improvement of the Ohio river and, also as usual, upbraids certain contemporaries without the moral courage to name them. However, neither the censure nor commendation of the Dispatch counts for anything any more.

Russia's internal troubles are not equal in fatalities to the war in Manchuria, but the fighters appear more willing for the encounter.

Judge Tayler of the northern district of Ohio is already distinguished as the man who will sit in the trial of Mrs. Chadwick for forgery.

Congressman Baker's thrust at Secretary Paul Morton has gone clear through to the bottom of the waste basket.

Oddly enough our excited contemporaries can find but one subject in Gov. Pennypacker's logical message to criticise.

Release on bail is denied "Nan" Patterson. Under those circumstances it is a duty to hurry along her next trial.

There is a rush for positions with the Panama canal commission, but none in the pick and shovel brigade.

Again the holdup men are active in this county and there is no efficient legal machinery for dealing with them.

Sleighing is good again. The December thaw was a special water dispensation for the drought district.

France and Morocco have settled their differences for as long as the Mohammedan faith holds good.

Panama climate is no deterrent, apparently, to the men who want on the government payroll.

Judge Savidge's decision has given some constables and justices a bad hour or two.

Meters are a good thing and lower water rates in order.

Taxing Department Stores.

The Chemnitz chamber of commerce in its annual report states that the department store special tax has entirely failed of its purpose. The chief complainants are not the department stores, but the manufacturers, who find it more difficult to dispose of their products in large quantities. To prevent restricting their own market the manufacturers have been compelled to pay the tax in order to place their goods in the department stores.—New York World.

Talked of in Gotham

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Philanthropy, especially that with publicity accompaniment, has its trials. A rich young man who recently came here from Pittsburgh, and whose expansive benevolence was widely heralded, received a few tons of letters from applicants in all parts of the country. The reading of this avalanche of appeals was a hard enough job, but the nature of many of the letters rather shocked the young man's trust in honest humanity. Of course, there were the usual professional begging letters, illiterate or unctuous, as the writers preferred, and many of them, by the way, were works of art in touching expression. Then there were bushels of letters from persons in real distress. Both of these classes of letters, however, were not unexpected.

What shook up the altruistic young man was the incessant stream of cool requests from gentlemen of adventure and enterprise who sought loans for one purpose or another. This variety of letters invariably started out with nicely spun encomiums on the young man's high philanthropic activities. Some of them justified his work by appropriate quotations from the Bible, and liberally bestowed blessings upon him. The exordiums over, the writers struck out into business. A mine owner, for instance, wanted $300 to develop his "claim." (He omitted to state where his claim was). If the "claim" didn't pan out, way, of course, the philanthropic young man (so the applicant wrote) wouldn't mind losing such a bagatelle as $600. An inventor sought "the slight sum" of $4,500 (why didn't he make it a round $5,000?) for carrying on experiments "with the lofty object, momentous to humanity, of investigating the utility of sunbeams, and of transmitting them into positive forms of man-controlled energy." If successful, he would revolutionize the world; if he were unsuccessful, the generous donor would have the satisfaction of knowing that he had contributed to the development of science with a capital S.

A Chance for Enlightenment.

A Confucian enthusiast greatly plessded with the young Pittsburgher for $10,000. "The United States sends Bibles and missionaries to China," he urged. "Impartiality and wisdom demands that we ought to do something to acquaint the Americans with the precepts of Confucius. Ten thousand dols. would make an effective starter."

An ingenious writer besought $500. "I have an infallible system," he explained, "for breaking every profesh. gambler in New York. This is no fake. I've worked it out mathematically, and it's a sure thing. I haven't any stake; won't you stake me? With $500 I can gradually clean out every profesh. gambler in New York. The reformers can't do that. It would be the very climax of philanthropy to knock out the profesh., so I feel that you would be helping out a grand cause. A check can be sent to ——."

After conscientiously going through a few basketfuls of this particular variety of "requests," the philanthropic young man from Pittsburgh felt the need of a rest cure, and lighted off to a remote country spot, secure from mail and telephone and personal calls.

Masonic Ball to Be an Event.

With President Roosevelt and Vice President-elect Fairbanks, both prominent Masons, among the invited guests, it is expected the Masonic charity ball, to be held in Madison Square garden next Monday evening under the auspices of the Knights Templar composing the constituent commanderies in New York state, will be one of the most brilliant functions ever held in this city. The ball will be for the benefit of the Masonic home, a beautiful retreat that has been established in the suburbs of Utica for aged Masons and their wives, and also for the widows and orphans of Masons.

It has been the custom for the commanderies, particularly those in the metropolitan district, to give balls annually, but to give them separately. York commandery and others have held them in the garden, and Palestine commandery has used the Waldorf-Astoria frequently. This year, however, it was decided all the commanderies in the state should join in an effort to hold the biggest and most brilliant social affair in the history of the craft. The commanderies within 50 miles of Greater New York have been requested to send large delegations, and the response has been most encouraging to those who have the ball in charge. The commanderies in this city will have full representation. From distant cities in the state word has been received that delegations of varying size will participate in the dance.

The Fall of the Bargain Hunter.

"Let every woman take warning by my misfortune and give up bargain-hunting," is the tearful admonition which Mrs. Hannah Robinson, who, with her octogenarian husband, was arrested in a Sixth avenue department store recently for shoplifting, desires to impress upon members of the sex who are afflicted with the craze for bargain-hunting. They were not shoplifters, but Mrs. Robinson has been a persistent bargain-hunter and scores of unopened packages found in her home caused the police to believe they had made a rich haul of stolen goods.

"Well, you see it was like this," Mrs. Robinson said. "It's perfectly natural that I should buy these things. If I saw some lining on the counter for 6 cents a yard that I would have to pay 15 for ordinarily, why I would buy it. Then not using it right away I would put it aside and perhaps forget I had it and when I saw another piece cheap I would buy that, too, having in mind the making over of a dress or wrapper. It's one's duty, you know, to save if you can."

Some of the Wonderful Bargains.

Bargain-hunting has been a mania with Mrs. Robinson, though now she promises to reform. Refuse and litter which beggars description flooded the Robinson flat today, overflowing into the hall and down the stairs—rosewood gavels, a score of them, a kaleidoscope, old lamps, a bird cage, pieces of dress material, a silver castor and other old-fashioned things sufficient to stock an antique shop, all mingled together in heterogeneous mass, met the eye.

"It's like the calm after the storm," said Mrs. Robinson, "and as soon as I collect my thoughts I mean to get rid of this trash."

"Hannah, I don't believe I'll live to see it," spoke up the old man, sadly. "Here I've been married 50 years and to think that this should come to me at my time of life, when I've always lived as a Christian gentleman.

"Steer clear of bargain counters as you would the evil one," he continued. "They're the curse of women. They buy things that they can't afford and things that they don't want and couldn't use, and what does it all amount to? Did my wife buy bargains for me? Never. They were things which a woman loves and nothing of any great value at that."

Two Tons of Eggs Stolen.

Eight cases of eggs, valued at about $700, and weighing two tons, were stolen some time early last evening from the produce store of Reuben H. Peck, Harrison street. The police discovered the store had been entered, but the theft of the eggs was not learned until the employes opened the store. It is believed the thieves, using a truck, marks of which the police think they have found, forced open the door shortly after the store was locked for the night, loaded the cases on the truck and drove off unmolested.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
J. D. Nicholson,
R. B. Scandrett,
J. F. Laughlin.

Holland.
A. M. Neeper,
A. P. Davis.

Hotel Astor.
J. T. Denniston.

Imperial.
A. C. Schiller,
M. Forst,
R. B. Montgomery,
J. H. McGovern,
Miss Walker.

Broadway Central.
A. W. Benwick,
H. D. Benwick,
S. H. Cahill,
Mrs. J. K. Harris.

Bartholdi.
W. C. Loeffler,
S. M. Harman,
C. Grim.

Hoffman.
A. MacDonald,
N. Spear.

Criterion.
J. P. Vogel.

Vendome.
C. Burdette,
Mrs. Burdette.

Breslin.
H. M. Hooker.

Manhattan.
W. Mundy,
Mrs. Mundy.

Herald Square.
L. Kolb.

Grand.
R. V. Hill,
Mrs. Hill.

Fifth Avenue.
J. F. Obern.

Park Avenue.
H. W. Smithers.

Navarre.
Mrs. W. P. Johns.

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C. F. Franson.

Raleigh.
S. Abels.

Continental.
J. Hauer,
J. P. Quain.

Bartholdi.
J. R. Carmichael.

Astor.
C. M. McKinney,
C. Meister,
W. J. Sedden.

The Quiet Observer.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

It takes all sorts of people to make a world. At least there are all sorts of people in this world of ours.

Nor is it any fault of the world that it does not suit all of us, not if there is any truth in the saying that many cooks spoil the broth.

No doubt the world could get along just as well without a whole lot of the people that are in it, for it can be clearly demonstrated that they are of no value, at least they have no social worth.

But nature is most prodigal with her gifts. Of the many thousands of blossoms on an apple tree only a few hundred develop into fruit. And there are many thousands of pine shoots for every one that develops into a tree.

So it is that there are many hundreds of boys, for every one that becomes a useful, prosperous man.

But nearly every pine shoot would develop into a fairly good tree were it transplanted in a more favorable place, one in which there would be less danger of being choked to death, or crowded out by competition.

Just so with boys and girls. Were they taken out of over-crowded homes, over-crowded cities and over-crowded schools and placed where they would have more room in which to breathe and work and grow, there would be more good men and women.

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Surplus blossoms are blown hither and thither and enrich both air and ground. Trees that are choked die and serve as nourishment for those that live. Boys who fail of becoming independent, useful men, grow up to be servants for those who are fittest to live.

Among the toilers in field and shop are those who, under more favorable conditions, might have become great, or at least have achieved honorable distinction.

Abraham Lincoln, Gen. Grant and other really great men were unknown until there was occasion for them to appear. This has been the case so often that it has become the rule in this country.

There are men specially suited to every possible condition in life; also men for every possible emergency. This has ever been so, and it will ever continue to be so, for it is so provided in the law of nature.

These men, however, did not rise up from the slums, nor were they found in the drift. They had been reared out in the open where they had room to breathe and grow and work. Instead of being allowed to work or play just as the notion took them they were compelled by that most relentless master, necessity, to work. They well knew that if they refused they would starve.

There is no good reason why a boy who has the stuff in him may not succeed if he places himself in the path of success.

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Mr. Quiet Observer:—As I read The Gazette I noticed a piece in the Quiet Observer column about the red-haired girl, and I wish to thank you very much for the compliment. It is the best piece I ever read, and I never felt so good as when I read it.

A RED-HAIRED FRIEND.

McKeesport, Pa.

There is a fellow mortal made happy by a few strokes of a pen, and who knows but a life made useful or even a soul saved? No doubt this young lady has taken a new lease on life and will be handsomer, happier and more helpful than she had hoped to ever be.

It only needs a word of encouragement to brace up those who are just beginning to weaken and to falter, and only a little lift to carry them out of the choking, over-mastering crowd and into the open where they may live and be useful instead of being trampled under foot and left to die and be forgotten.

How many that are being thus choked and crushed to death that may be saved by a bit of encouragement, a guiding hand to lead them to the open where there is light and air and work?

And how little it costs to thus do a lot of good—good alike to those who are helped and to those who help.

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Dean Swift gave it as his opinion that whoever could make two ears of corn, or two blades of grass to grow upon a spot of ground where only one had grown before, would deserve better of mankind and do more essential service to his country than the whole race of politicians put together.

And how much better shall he deserve who causes a faltering boy or girl, man or woman, to double their efforts to free themselves from the crushing crowd and to gain the open where they may grow and flourish and mature into good, useful or even great men and women?

Some there are in the open who seem not to care for those whose lives are being trampled out by the unfeeling mob, but content themselves specializing concerning useless, improbable things, such as the man mentioned in Gulliver's Travels who had been eight years upon a project for extracting sunbeams from cucumbers, which were to be put in hermetically sealed phials and let out to warm the air in raw, inclement summers.

Others, instead of indulging in harmless speculation, seem to take delight in preventing those from getting out into the open who are making noble efforts to do so. Their favorite methods are to say things about them to cause suspicion or to create ill feelings toward them. These many not mean it at heart, but they do harm, and great harm, too.

These are moral cowards.

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He had the courage to win o'er men
Where fortunes were lost and made;
He was brave enough to triumph when
He fought in the halls of trade;
He dared to assail and overthrow
The rivals who blocked his way,
But he feared to bother a bully who
Abused a child where he hurried through
The vice-haunted street, one day.

He had the courage to make his will
The law unto thousands more;
He could wreck the hopes of others and still
Smile forth from his carriage door;
Through many a daring plan he laid
The hopes of others were slain,
But he skulked around a corner, afraid
To rush on the low-browed brute who made
A little child writhe in pain.

He had courage to face the grumbling crowd,
He dared to come and to go
Where ruined ones cursed his name aloud
And every man was his foe;
He did not fear to be hated where
His marvelous gains were made,
But he saw a brute's hand clutch the fair
White throat of a child, and skulked from there
Like a hunted rabbit, afraid.

—S. E. Kiser.

A Tariff Commission.

Commercial interests shrink from tariff regulation partly through fear that their special lines may be adversely affected, but perhaps more largely because of doubt of the competence of those to whom the revision is committed. A board of recognized authorities appointed to make specific recommendations to congress would probably receive more of their respect and confidence.—New York Sun.

IT IS TO SMILE.

Mistress—You ruined that terrapin last night, Ellen. I can't have things wasted so."

"Sure, mum, 't wasn't wasted. We ate it in the kitchen."—Life.

Mabel—You don't know George, papa. He's generous to a fault.

Mr. Nurox—I'm glad to hear it. Perhaps he'll be generous to some of yours.—Judge.

Spartieus—Who has come nearest to a practical solution of the aerial navigation problem?

Smartieus—Mrs. Chadwick. She has been flying high for quite a while with only hot air for support.—Baltimore American.

Nellie—Harry is such an impulsive creature! He takes one's words right out of one's mouth.

Aunt Jane—Oh, that was what he was doing as I came through the hall last evening? I thought he was kissing you.—Boston Transcript.

"But what's the matter?" queried the friend of the bank president. "Has your cashier skipped out?"

"Worse than that!" howled the frantic man. "worse than that!"

"Well, what is it?"

"I've been Chadwicked."—Hoosier Post.

Mike—Sure, th' doctor told Oi had "tobacco heart."

Pat—Ye're safe, thin, Mike. If it's anything loike th' tobacco ye smoke it's strong enough to shtand anything.—Puck.

The Nation's Capital

By L. W. STRAYER.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Of late years Uncle Sam has been playing the role of what the stagehand would be called the "angel." He has been the financial backer of all the great industrial shows held in the country and it has cost him a pretty penny to do it. In response to a resolution of the senate, the secretary of the treasury has prepared a statement of the money appropriated by congress from the beginning of the government to the present time in aid of expositions or fairs, both international and local. The total amounts to $26,288,752.80, of which $4,000,000 was repaid to the government, making the net sum spent in this manner $22,288,752.80.

The most expensive venture in this line that the United States has taken part in was the St. Louis fair. For this alone the general government appropriated a total of $11,175,000, and $4,000,000 of this was repaid, making the net sum contributed to the success of this exposition $6,375,000 or nearly $1,000,000 more than the government spent on the Chicago fair in 1892. It will be remembered that congress made the St. Louis fair management a present outright of $5,000,000 in cold cash, the only restriction being that it must be expended under the eye of the national commission.

Then the government buildings, the government exhibit, the life saving exhibit, the Indian, agricultural, Alaska and Indian territory exhibits required the expenditure of $1,473,000. In addition and sundry other appropriations made up the balance. It was a good show, but it cost high.

Liberality Invites More Fairs.

The world's fair in Chicago cost the government altogether $5,849,329.66, and at that time there was no much criticism over governmental appropriations for this purpose that it was not generally agreed in the house of representatives that this was to be the last big show in which Uncle Sam should pose as the "angel." However, that resolution was forgotten when the St. Louis fair came along and asked for help, and, as shown above, help was rendered liberally. Last year it was again made on the floor of the house by prominent members who voted grudgingly to lend the exposition management $4,000,000, that this must end the business of subsidizing industrial expositions. The drain was becoming too heavy, but the loan was repaid as promised and already congress has voted $475,000 for the Lewis and Clark exposition at Portland next year. Of this sum $250,000 is to be spent on government buildings, $200,000 on an exhibit and $25,000 for an Alaska exhibit.

And, moreover, there is another exposition planned for Jamestown, Va., in 1907, and congress has been asked to make an appropriation for it. There is little doubt but that this will be done. Hence the end is not yet in sight and it will probably not be long when there are other applicants knocking at the door of the national treasury and demanding aid, leaving out of consideration the merits of these expositions and without a discussion of the good that they accomplish, the fact is being forced upon congress that the general government cannot continue its liberal policy of financing these big shows. The more liberal Uncle Sam has been in this respect, the more of these fairs have been encouraged and brought forward by that policy. They are all losing enterprises from a financial standpoint and it has come to be the custom to look to the government to make good the deficiency.

Government Started in Show Business.

Congress began these contributions with an appropriation of $2,000 for an exhibit at the London exposition in 1851. This according to the records, is the first case where the government went into the show business and in this instance it was merely a matter of having a reserved seat. But from that the custom of government subsidy has grown until Uncle Sam has become the greatest "angel" in the show business and the one always looked to for the funds to make up the deficit. Next after London came the Paris exposition of 1867 and there the United States became a box holder instead of being content to occupy a reserved seat. That show cost us $212,000. Since then we have participated in three other Paris expositions. One in 1878 costing us $106,000, one in 1889 relieving us of $330,000, while for the last one in 1900 congress appropriated a total of $1,672,000. The latest contribution to a foreign show is that provided for in an act passed last April, appropriating $2,000 for an exposition at Liege, Belgium.

In 1888 it cost us $25,000 to participate in a fair at Barcelona, Spain, and the same year we paid an entrance fee of $30,000 to get into a show of the same kind at Brussels. Other foreign expositions in which we have participated and the amounts that it cost this government are as follows: Bergen, 1865, $30,000; Dublin, 1865, $20,000; London, 1865, $70,000; Madrid, 1867, $25,000; Melbourne, 1880, $26,000; Sydney and Melbourne, 1879, $20,000; Vienna, 1873, $250,000. Of course the home shows are the ones on which the largest amounts have been expended and in all of the larger of these foreign governments have been so liberal in responding to invitations to participate that we cannot grudge the money we have spent on exhibits at foreign fairs.

Large Amounts for Home Fairs.

The Buffalo Pan-American exposition, which will always remain indelibly fixed in the memory of the American people as the scene of the great tragedy which robbed the country of President McKinley, was aided by government appropriations to the extent of $1,635,000. At Charleston a fair was held about the same time and it received $250,000. Next to the Chicago and St. Louis fair, the centennial exposition in Philadelphia in 1876 received the most liberal appropriations from Uncle Sam. They amounted to $2,185,186.79. This was the first of the big expositions in this country and besides being a novelty at that time it marked a very important historical epoch, the closing of the first century of our national existence. In 1826, another exposition was held in the Quaker City, for participation in which the government appropriated $150,000.

Cincinnati had a fair in 1883 toward the success of which the United States gave $157,750 and in 1884 Louisville got a contribution of $10,000, while Nashville in 1897 got $130,000. New Orleans held a big show about 1885 which cost the government $1,000,000 and for the Omaha exposition in 1898 $250,000 was appropriated.

Cost Must Be Counted.

There is no disposition upon the part of the members of congress to disapprove of these expenses for fairs at intervals, or to belittle their influence upon the industrial development of the country. All admit that they are desirable and have a good influence.

President McKinley in his last speech, delivered at the Buffalo exposition, said: "Expositions are the timekeepers of progress." Congress approves of them, the administration approves of them and the public believes in them, but it is the firm conviction of a majority of the members of congress that the general government has been too liberal with its contributions and that these expositions have come to depend too much upon the aid extended them by the United States. It is this sentiment that will doubtless result in more modest contributions.

The only proposition now before congress is the one for an appropriation for the Jamestown exposition, which is to commemorate the first English settlement on this continent. This project has the indorsement of President Roosevelt who referred to it in favorable terms in his recent message to congress. The house committee on industrial arts and expositions are considering the matter and will doubtless recommend an appropriation, but not one that will run up into the millions. It is probable that in this forthcoming show Uncle Sam will be content with a reserved seat for a box and will not aspire to the honor of financial backer or "angel."

Reviving Our Merchant Marine.

To the postage subsidies one objection may be urged; but the granting of subsidies is always a matter of expediency, and no complaint certainly can be brought against the commission's plan on the score of wild extravagance. No bill offered in congress in recent years has treated the subject of reviving the merchant marine with greater practicality or moderation.—New York Tribune.

Railroads vs. Good Roads.

The development of railroads is largely responsible for our dirt roads persisting with all their primitive defects to the present day. The idea of good, hard post roads, built by the federal government, had scarcely taken root and bearing its best fruit when the steam railways became monopolies. Post roads and the United States government went out of the business of road building.—Philadelphia Press.

FORTIFICATIONS BILL IS PASSED

Siege of Port Arthur Serves as a Lesson to Members of Congress.

WHIPPING POST DISCUSSED

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—The house today passed the fortifications appropriation bill and adjourned until Monday. After Mr. Littauer of New York, had drawn a lesson from the siege of Port Arthur to show that submarine mines had proven of the greatest importance in warfare, Mr. Baker enlivened the proceedings by attacking President Roosevelt, who, he said, wanted to hold himself up as the "counterpart of Wilhelm II., the great war god." Later Mr. Baer found fault with the provision in the bill permitting the free entry of such war material as might be purchased abroad, and charged the Republican party as being frauds in their contention that the foreigners paid the tax.

On motion of Grosvenor of Ohio, the committee of the whole house was discharged from further consideration of the bill to revise the laws relating to the regulation of steam vessels and the bill was referred back to the committee on merchant marine and fisheries.

When the house went into committee of the whole for the consideration of the fortifications appropriation bill, Mr. Littauer of New York, said as the 21 chief harbors on the United States coast had been so strongly fortified that no able commander would dare risk his ships in approaching them, it was now time to call a halt in the so-called Endicott scheme of fortifications in existence since 1888. The advance made in rapid-fire guns as well as the use of smokeless powder be attributed as important factors in making that recommendation.

Lessons from Port Arthur.

Mr. Littauer spoke of the great lesson learned from the situation at Port Arthur and said the conditions there demonstrated first the efficiency of the submarine mine and second, from the land side, the practical uselessness of guns of long range without the proper system of direction and fire control. He instanced the fact that the Japanese gun fire had only sunk two ships, whereby the Russians had lost through submarine mines seven battleships, 13 cruisers and 36 torpedo boats and destroyers. He defended the appropriation for submarine mines, saying their importance was of the greatest.

In reply to an inquiry by Mr. Robinson of Indiana if the bill contemplated any appropriation for the Langley airship, Mr. Litauer said it would not be advisable to restrict the board of ordnance to "the professional advisers" of the house on war defenses, but he explained that the board had determined in March, 1904, not to make an additional allotment for the Langley airship.

Mr. Baker of New York, ridiculed the idea of technical advisers to congress, and then launched into an attack on the policy which permitted a bill such as the one under consideration, to be brought up without notice. Mr. Baker vigorously condemning the bill as a waste of public money, when it was suggested that he quote scripture.

Whipping Post Bill Interjected.

"Oh," said he, "when we are led by a man who worships the war god, who wants to hold himself in the United States as the equal, as the equivalent, as the counterpart of Wilhelm II., the great war god," when an administration is dominated by such a spirit as that, what a farce it is to talk about any scriptural quotations! What a farce it is to talk about anything in the interest of peace!" He concluded by declaring it to be the duty of the Democrats to block legislation such as the bill under consideration.

Under license of debate, Mr. Adams of Pennsylvania spoke in advocacy of his bill introduced yesterday, providing for a whipping post in the District of Columbia for wife beaters.

Mr. Bede of Minnesota inquired if Mr. Adams reported the bill because he was a bachelor and therefore immune.

Adams replied the only class of persons who could introduce such legislation was the single men, "because they are not in the married men's trust."

Gaines of Tennessee interjected the remark that if the bill did not provide for whipping men guilty of striking women who were not their wives, it ought to, and he volunteered himself to do the whipping, which elicited much laughter and applause.

The house then got back on the fortifications bill. Brundige of Arkansas severely attacked the provision appropriating $700,000 for the construction of seacoast batteries in the insular possessions, saying it was a most extravagant and useless expenditure. He entertained the hope, he said, that at some time the United States would be able to rid herself of those possessions "that have proven a burden and a tax upon this country." The appropriation, he declared, would fortify nothing and protect nothing. A motion by him to strike out the provision was lost, 59 to 74.

That Man Baker Again.

When the concluding paragraph of the bill was reached, relating to the remission of duties on such war materials as might be purchased abroad, Baker offered an amendment striking out that feature of the bill, and inquired of Littauer if that had been incorporated at the request of the secretary of war.

"Yes," said Littauer, "the present and all former secretaries."

Baker charged that Secretary Taft was a member of an administration which advised the proposition that the foreigner pays the tax. "Now, why," he inquired, "are you going to make this present to the foreigner?" If the foreigner was to have his goods admitted free, he asked, "why does the Republican administration, which is so solicitious for American labor, not tax the foreigner and compel him to pay that tax into the American treasury?"

Littauer responded that it was not the time for that question to be discussed.

Baker exclaimed, "Oh, yes; it is always the time when you people are shown up to be frauds in your contention that the foreigner pays the tax. That is always appropriate."

Baker wanted to know how the Republican party could "consistently come here and say that it is going to remit from the foreigner the tax he ought to pay on the goods brought into the United States." No one was inclined to answer him and after a brief pause Mr. Baker sarcastically declared: "And the Republican administration and the Republicans of this house stand mute."

The bill was passed without amendment.

OPPOSED TO COMBINING ARIZONA AND NEW MEXICO

Statehood Bill Discussed in the Senate With Tillman Appealing for "White Supremacy."

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Senator Bard today occupied the entire time of the senate given to the joint statehood bill. He made an argument against the union of Arizona and New Mexico on the grounds that the people of the two territories did not desire it. Mr. Bard gave his assent to the proposition to consolidate Oklahoma and Indian territory and urged this legislation as urgent because of the want of proper government in Indian territory.

During the course of Bard's speech he was interrupted by Tillman, who said he wanted to make an appeal for "white supremacy in Arizona." To unite the two territories would, he said, be like joining Florida with Cuba and to subject the white people of Arizona to the domination of Mexicans and "greasers," which he opposed.

A bill providing for the interment in the District of Columbia of the remains of Rose Dillon Segar, who died in Panama of yellow fever, was passed. Mr. Gallinger explained that the law prevents burial here under the circumstances, but the health authorities had assured him there would be no danger of contagion from the remains.

Will Speak on "Fraternalism."

The Rev. John G. Tate of Lincoln, Neb., noted as an orator, will address local lodges of the Ancient Order of United Workmen in German Benefical Union hall, Sixth avenue, this evening on "Fraternalism." Mr. Tate was formerly [illegible] master workman of the order.

STARTS FUND FOR NEW HIGH SCHOOL

Addition of $205,000 Made to Central Board Estimate of $1,095,000.

ALLEGED BLUFF IS CALLED

With the addition of $205,000 for the purpose of starting a new high school fund, the central board of education adopted last evening the report of the finance committee containing the estimate of $1,095,000 for expenses for the ensuing year. This makes the total $1,300,000. The amendment adding the high school fund was offered by Dr. H. L. Reinecke.

There were eight negative votes and John P. McTighe refused to vote. Those voting against the resolution were Bradley, McIlroy, McKain, McKelvy, McMillan, Steuffer, Strieb and J. D. Sweeney.

The estimate and amendment, together with the report of the finance committee on the millage from each ward, as previously reported, were adopted without change. John H. McIlroy objected to the increase for recreation grounds and kindergartens, but Messrs. O'Toole, Jamison, McKain and Sweeney upheld them as worthy of encouragement.

In order to do away with the necessity for meeting Tuesday next, the regular order of business for January was taken up and there will be no further meeting until February 14.

A stir was caused by a communication from the attorneys of Mrs. Mathilda G. McConnell, from whom the board bought the Friendship avenue high school site. This communication called attention to certain restrictions effective in case the board sells the site. A building line must be maintained and houses to be erected there must not cost less than $7,000 and must be constructed of stone or brick.

President D. L. Gillespie left the chair and addressed the board. He asked to be shown the deed, and when told it was not available, said that in his opinion the communication was a bluff to force the board to build on that property. The communication was filed.

The monthly report of the finance committee showed the December balance to be $280,149.54, against which warrants amounting to $106,590 were ordered drawn. The expenses of the month leave a balance of $173,558.54 in the appropriation. The balance in bank was given as $22,000.42. High school bills amounting to $8,920.80 and bills of $10,693 for books and supplies were ordered paid.

The Kindergarten association reported 34 schools with 65 teachers and with 1,796 pupils enrolled. The average attendance was given as 1,383. The monthly warrant of $8,000 was ordered drawn. The industrial committee reported an enrollment of 972 pupils, with an average attendance of 914.

The committee appointed to consider the sale of the Friendship avenue site met before the board meeting and postponed action one month. The high school site committee reported its decision of a week ago that it could not agree, and on request was discharged.

BODIES OF DEFENDER VICTIMS BROUGHT HOME

Three of the Dead from the Explosion Arrive in This City.

The bodies of Thomas Duffy, Harry or Scott Hamilton and Henry Salter arrived in this city last evening. They are victims of the explosion of the boilers of the towboat Defender, at Huntington, W. Va., Wednesday night. The bodies of Hamilton and Salter were taken to Fullerton's undertaking rooms, and that of Duffy to Flannery's.

The 15 uninjured members of the crew have returned to this city. Elmer Ferris, who was carpenter on the boat, was seen last night and said:

"All theories as to the cause of the explosion are simply air bubbles. No man knows or ever will know what caused it. I was in the engine room more than any man on the boat except the engineer, and I can say positively the boat never carried any unusual or extraordinary amount of steam. There was some other cause for the accident than too much steam pressure.

"Stories related of the explosion have been incorrect in stating that any members of the crew were blown overboard. Unless the bodies of the missing were blown into the water, not a man on the boat touched it. I was asleep when the explosion occurred and was awakened by the crash. I ran out of my room and saw the other members of the crew tumbling out of their staterooms in their underclothes. I told them to go back and dress, as there was plenty of time, and there would be nothing worse than what had happened. I returned to my room and put on my clothes. When I came out the whole forward part of the boat was in flames. I was at the stern. Capt. Woodward and myself were taken off by a man who came across the river in a skiff. I could hear Duffy calling for help. He was pinned down under the sheets of the boiler. When he realized that none of us could get to him to aid him, he begged that some one would kill him and let him out of his misery. Finally his cries ceased. The two firemen who were killed, were standing up. The contents of the coal box were tumbled about them and kept them on their feet. When their charred bodies were taken out they were still standing.

"The people of Huntington could not do enough for us. The naked members of the crew were taken to the water works and in 15 minutes there was a wagonload of clothing there for them. I stayed around the wreck with Capt. Woodward until morning. There was nothing we could do. I can say positively there was no excessive steam pressure and the boats were not racing, as the Exporter was several hours behind us."

WILL CONDEMN INSPECTION.

Government Inspectors' Report Will Find Fault With Examination of Defender Here.

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The court of inquiry held by Government Inspectors Morgan and Maddy over the wrecking of the towboat Defender will exonerate the crew, but it is alleged that the decision will be that the inspection of the boat at Pittsburgh in November was either negligent or careless. Weakness of the boilers is conceded to have been the cause of the explosion.

Today the remains of Thomas Duffy, fireman, of Pittsburgh, and R. A. Hamilton and David Salter of Allegheny, were identified and were shipped home. The wrecking boat Woodruff has arrived and will go to work at once raising the hull and searching for other bodies.

Iron City Elects Officers.

The Iron City central trades council starts out the new year with a new corps of officers. They are: President, C. C. Douglass; vice president, S. M. Reeves; secretary, C. A. Lawes; financial secretary, J. B. Cullough, and treasurer, S. Rankin. A committee was appointed to shape matters for entertaining the A. F. of L. convention in Pittsburgh next November.

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OLD ELI'S SONGS WERE SUNG AGAIN

Yale Glee, Banjo and Mandolin Clubs Were Most Enthusiastically Received.

DANCE FOLLOWED THE MUSIC

The seasons come, the seasons go.
The earth is green or white with snow;
But time and change shall not avail
To break the friendships forged at Yale.

For nearly a quarter of a century the patriotic sons of Old Eli have sung this merry song and last night when the Yale Glee club struck up its familiar measure in the ballroom at the Hotel Schenley, every toe kept time and every lip hummed the jolly tune. They longed for the song and encored it again and again, and when the glee singers became exhausted they danced to it just as they did in the hops in undergraduate days.

It was no usual mingling of '04 and '46. Ah, yes, he was surely there. He came on a cane and the murky night air stole away his voice, but his eye was just as bright and his love for the revered songs of long ago was not blighted by the three score and ten years that rested upon his drooping shoulders.

However, it was a night for the young ones—'04, '03, '02, '01, with their hazers of the class of '00, and some others. These Yale the nimblest in the dance but their memory of the songs was no better. Everybody nowadays knows the words of "Brave Mother Yale," the feminine singular of "Old Eli," you know. It goes like this:

Fairer than love of woman,
Stronger than pride of gold
Stands, nor shall fail, love for old Yale,
Mother of love untold.

The combined forces of the Yale Glee, Banjo and Mandolin clubs brought half a hundred loyal sons of the New Haven university to Pittsburgh, and the audience that filled the banquet hall of the hotel numbered several hundred. The music was up-to-date, with the touching reminiscent mood which the old school songs revived and which brought back plantation days by the sweet high keys of old negro melodies. The encore was the rule and was received by the most gracious responses.

Of course Yale didn't quite have the monopoly. Vassar, Smith, Wellesley and Bryn Mawr were there and never was a college gathering more brilliant. It isn't telling tales out of school to say that there is much in common between New Haven and Poughkeepsie, Northampton and Wellesley, and last night this subtle attraction was apparent in the encore of the song and in the mazes of the dance.

On the committee of the loyal supporters of Yale among the young women who arranged for the dance, were Miss Rebekah Friend, Miss Mary Mellon and Miss Martha Heron. The patronesses were Mrs. William Nimick Frew, Mrs. O. D. Thompson and Mrs. Benjamin Thaw.

URGE SENATE TO RATIFY ARBITRATION TREATIES

This Action Is Taken at a Public Meeting of Philadelphia Citizens, Mayor Weaver Presiding.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 6.—A largely-attended public meeting was held today in the bourse for the purpose of obtaining from Philadelphia an expression of opinion favorable to the international arbitration treaties negotiated by President Roosevelt and Secretary Hay with Great Britain, Germany, Denmark, Mexico and other countries, and which have been submitted to the senate for ratification.

Mayor Weaver presided. Among the speakers were William Potter, former minister to Italy; Col. A. Louden Snowden, former minister to Spain, Greece and Servia; former Postmaster General Charles Emory Smith, who was minister to Russia; Congressmen George E. McCreery and Reuben O. Moon. The following resolution was adopted:

That as citizens of Philadelphia, acting as we believe in full accord with the wishes of a very large majority of the people of this city and state, we respectfully ask the senators from Pennsylvania to do all they can properly do to secure an early ratification of the treaties referred to; and the officers of this meeting are requested to send copies of this resolution to the senators from this state and to the chairman of the senate committee on foreign relations, and to the president and secretary of state.

CONGRESS RESPONSIBLE FOR TIMBER DESTRUCTION

Delegate from California Makes a Sensational Speech Before the American Forest Congress.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The importance of public forest lands to mining was the theme of the concluding sessions of the American forest congress. A sensational address was made by George H. Maxwell, the executive chairman of the National irrigation congress, who spoke as delegate from California. He scored congress for its refusal to repeal the timber and stone act, and declared that the house public lands committee, the western members of which he alleged "had deliberately prevented action" on the measure and thus "allowed the stealing to continue, should be held up to public obloquy and lashed at the cart's tail with the whip of outraged national sentiment."

He took issue with a statement in President Roosevelt's address yesterday by saying if the forests were left to the west they would continue to be "skinned," but added "it is to eastern sentiment and such men as Theodore Roosevelt and Grover Cleveland that we have forest reserves and protection."

The resolutions as adopted by the congress urges on all legislative bodies full protection and preservation of the forests.

Former Pittsburgh Man to Wed.

GREENVILLE, PA., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Belle Kennedy Chase, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gorton B. Chase of Greenville, and Frank R. S. Layng, formerly of Pittsburgh. The ceremony will take place at the home of the bride Thursday afternoon, January 19.

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RAILROADERS GRATEFUL TO SENATOR P. C. KNOX

Supreme Court Decision Upholding Safety Appliance Law Pleases Employes.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Organizations of railway employes are highly pleased at the recent decision of the supreme court upholding the safety appliance law. Officials of the government who were connected with the suit have been receiving gratifying testimonials from them. Senator Knox, while attorney general, initiated the suit and took a very deep interest in it. In his speech in Philadelphia last October, he referred to it as one in which many hundreds of thousands of persons were interested.

Mr. Knox has recently been the recipient of a number of letters from officers of railroad employes' organizations. P. H. Morrisey, grand masters of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, wrote as follows:

"It must be satisfying to you to learn that the supreme court sustained every contention of the government in this case. The decision gives to the law the vitality that congress intended it should have and it will be the means of affording additional protection to the many thousands of our citizens who are engaged in the hazardous occupation of railroading."

L. W. STRAYER.

Will Lecture on Pompeii.

Prof. Francis W. Kelsey of the University of Michigan will deliver an address on "Recent Excavations at Pompeii" before the Pittsburgh Archaeological society in the assembly room of Thurston Preparatory school, 248 Shady avenue, this evening. The address will be illustrated by stereopticon views.

Something Interesting

will appear Sunday in the classified section of The Sunday Gazette.

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From Union Station, Pittsburgh.

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Keystone Express, daily..... 2.00 a. m.
Manhattan Limited, daily, for North Philadelphia and New York..... 2.35 a. m.
The Pennsylvania Limited, daily.... 7.15 a. m.
New York Limited, daily..... 7.15 a. m.
Atlantic Express, daily..... 7.50 a. m.
Main Line Express, daily..... 8.00 a. m.
Day Express, daily..... 12.01 p. m.
Mail Express, daily..... 12.45 p. m.
Chicago Mail, daily for Baltimore and Washington..... 4.50 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York..... 4.55 p. m.
New York Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York..... 7.10 p. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily..... 9.00 p. m.
New York Special, daily, for New York only..... 10.00 p. m.
Philadelphia Special, daily, Sleeping cars to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. No coaches..... 10.00 p. m.

For Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 2.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m. daily.

For Oil City, 8.22, 8.00 a. m., 1.30, 5.05 and 11.00 p. m., week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m., 5.05 and 11.00 p. m.

For Titusville and Corry, 9.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m. daily. For Titusville only, 1.30 p. m. week-days.

For DuBois, 8.22, 9.00 a. m., 1.30 and 5.05 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m. and 5.05 p. m.

For Atlantic City (via Delaware River Bridge, all-rail route), 8.00 a. m., 7.10 and 9.00 p. m. daily. "The Pennsylvania Limited," and "New York Limited," 7.15 a. m. week-days.

For Connellsville and Uniontown, 8.15, 8.25 a. m., 12.05 and 5.07 p. m. week-days. 8.00 a. m. and *5.25 p. m. Sundays.

For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10.55 a. m., 4.55 p. m. week-days, and 4.30 p. m. Sundays. For Brownsville only, 6.05, 8.20 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 6.45 and 11.35 p. m. week-days. 7.00, 9.35 a. m. and 1.05, 5.09 and 6.40 p. m. Sundays. For Uniontown only, 1.05 a. m. and 1.05 and 5.25 p. m. week-days. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City and Bells Vernon, 6.05, 8.20, 10.55 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 4.55 (8.20 to Monongahela City), 6.45 and 11.35 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7.00, 9.35 a. m., 1.05, 4.20, 5.09 and 9.40 p. m.

For Butler, 6.50, 8.25, 10.25 a. m., 4.15 and 6.10 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7.00 a. m., 5.20 p. m.

The Excelsior Baggage Express Company will call for and check Baggage from Hotels and Residences. Time Cards and full information can be obtained at the Ticket Offices—No. 639 Fifth Avenue, corner Fourth Avenue and Try Street, and Union Station.

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Pennsylvania Lines.

By Central Standard Time.

TRAINS.	LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis	* 2.15 am	* 8.15 am
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 2.15 am	* 8.15 am
Ohio and Toledo	* 2.15 am	* 8.50 pm
Indianapolis, Louisville, St. Louis	* 4.00 am	* 4.00 am
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 4.00 am	* 10.30 pm
Akron and Cleveland	* 8.00 am	* 4.00 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	* 8.50 am	* 2.25 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 8.40 am	* 5.15 pm
Akron and Cleveland	* 8.40 am	* 4.00 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 8.40 am	* 8.50 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 8.50 am	* 8.50 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
Ohio Valley Express	* 8.50 am	* 8.50 pm
Salem and Canton	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
Jamestown and New Castle	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
Jamestown and New Castle	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
Akron and Cleveland	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
The Cleveland Special	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
The St. Louis Limited	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
The Pennsylvania Limited	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
Detroit and Chicago Limited	* 8.50 am	* 4.50 pm
Beaver Falls and New Castle	* 10.40 am	* 4.50 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	* 11.50 pm	* 7.40 am

Leave for Washington, 12.01, 4.00, 7.00, 10.00 am, 12.00 pm, 12.01, 1.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 pm. Sundays, 12.01, 4.00, 7.00, 10.00 am, 12.00 pm, 12.01, 1.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 pm.

Leave for Wheeling, 8.00 am, *2.10 pm, 11.40 pm, *12.00 pm, *2.15 pm.

Leave for Steubenville, *8.40 am, 9.35 am, 12.30 pm, *4.30 pm, *6.05 pm, 11.55 pm.

Leave for Washington, *8.40 am, 12.30 pm.

Leave Allegheny for Salamanca and Olean, *2.15 pm.

*Every day. †Week days only. ‡Sundays only.

RAILROADS.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

(Eastern Standard Time.)

Leave Station, Smithfield and Water Sts.

LINES WEST.	Depart.	Arrive.
Cumberland Accom.....	* 6.30 am	* 9.20 pm
Connells. & Mt. Pleasant	* 6.30 am	†10.00 am
Wash., Balt. & N. York	* 8.00 am	* 7.45 pm
Cumb., Un'n & Fairm't	* 8.00 am	* 7.45 pm
West Newton Accom.....	† 9.15 am	† 8.00 am
Cumb., Wash. & Balt.....	* 1.00 pm	* 2.45 pm
Conn., Un'n, Morgant'n	† 1.05 pm	†10.00 am
Connels. & Mt. Pleasant	† 1.35 pm	† 5.55 pm
Connellsville Accom.....	* 4.00 pm	* 9.05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston	* 5.00 pm	†12.50 pm
Philadelphia & New York (Duquesne Limited).....	* 6.30 pm	* 9.00 am
West Newton Accom.....	† 6.40 pm	† 1.20 pm
Wash., Balt. & Phila.....	* 7.00 pm	* 7.15 am
LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.		
Columbus & Chicin. Exp.	†12.05 am	.....
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac	* 1.00 am	* 7.45 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp.	* 8.30 am	* 7.45 am
Wheeling Express.....	1.05 pm	* 6.00 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling	* 4.00 pm	* 4.05 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac	* 5.05 pm	* 7.45 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp.	* 9.00 pm	* 7.55 pm
LINES WEST VIA AKRON.		
Clev., Akron & Youngst.	* 7.00 am	* 8.15 pm
Chicago & Cleveland.....	* 4.30 pm	* 3.15 pm
Chicago Limited.....	* 8.05 pm	* 7.40 am
(Leave Allegheny.)		
Butler	† 7.00 am	* 8.00 am
Butler	† 7.30 am	* 7.25 pm
Butler, Foxburg	* 8.15 am	* 5.20 pm
Butler and Erie.....	* 8.15 am	* 8.25 pm
Butler	†10.40 am	* 7.40 am
Butler and Erie.....	† 1.50 pm	* 1.55 pm
Ellwood City.....	† 3.10 pm	* 4.30 pm
Butler, Clarion & Greeny	† 3.00 pm	†10.25 am
Butler, Ellw'd, N. Castle	† 5.30 pm	* 9.40 am
Butler	* 6.15 pm	* 8.10 pm
Ellwood, New Castle.....	† 6.15 pm	* 1.45 am
Butler	* 6.15 pm	* 8.25 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.

B. & B.

upstairs

—Cloak Room selling out—racks, cases and counters being emptied.

$55.00 Black Silk Crepe de Chene Dresses, $35.00.
Jacket Suits—values, $16.50 to $25.00 for $10.00.
Twenty to $35.00 Jacket Suits, $15.00.
Thirty-five to $50.00 ones, $25.00.
No such determined action was ever undertaken—Suits, Coats, Skirts that are right in the Fashion sacrificed unmercifully.
Oxford Grey $12.50 Tourist Coats, $7.50.
Grey and Brown Mix $8.50 Tourist Coats, $5.00.
Tan and Black, $15.00, 30-inch fitted Coats, $10.00.

GIRLS' GARMENTS

Girls' Coats that were 33 and $35.00 for $25.00.
25 and $28.00 ones, $18.50.
$18.50 ones, $12.50
$15.00 ones, $10.00
$12.50 ones, $ 8.50
$10.00 ones, $ 7.50
Misses' $20.00 fine heavy Serge and Suiting Regulation Blouse Suits, $15.00.
Misses' $22.50 Shirtwaist Suits, $18.50.
$15.00 ones, $10.00.

FURS

Fur Boas that were $5.00 for $3.50.
$7.50 ones, $5.00.
$10.00 Sealskin Muffs, $5.00.
$5.00 Large Flat Nearseal Muffs, $3.50.
Furs have been price slashed from end to end—Neck Furs, Sets, Coats, to the finest.
Such prices on the richest and best of Furs as will be a delight to buyers.

MILLINERY

Millinery cases and boxes being emptied.
Fancy Wings, Birds, and Aigrettes, all colors, sorted into lots at 5, 10, 15, 25 and 50c.
Dollar Flowers, 50c—50c ones, 25c.
Shaded Violets with foliage, 10c.
Untrimmed Felts—four lots—25, 50, 75 and $1.00.
Sacrifice of good Millinery and Accessories worth seeing about.
Fine Trimmed Hats that were 25 and $30.00 for $15.00.
18 and $20.00 ones, $10.00.
$10.00 ones, $5.00.
Ready-to-wear Hats in three lots at three prices remarkably low for the class of goods, $1.00, $1.50, and $2.00.
Children's Trimmed Hats, $1.00 that are astonishing.

CLOTHING

Clothing counters being emptied—prices on high class garments make it pay to come.
Men's $25.00 dark mix Sack Suits, $18.50.
$15.00 Suits, $10.00.
Men's $30.00 English Frock Walking Suits, $20.00.
Men's $25.00 Belt Overcoats, $18.50.
Men's $25.00 Raincoats, $18.50.
$15.00 ones, $10.00.

Boys' 5 to 16, $5.00 Reefers, $3.50.
$8.50 ones, $5.00.
Boys' 8 to 12, $12.50 and $13.50 Belt Overcoats, $8.50.
Small Boys' 5 and $6.50 Eton and Sailor Collar and Russian Blouse Suits, $3.50.
$5.00 Kilt Suits, $3.50.
Boys' $15.00 Suits, $10.00.
$18.50 ones, $13.50.

MEN'S HATS

Broken lots Wm. Carrick's $5.00 Imported English Hats—soft and stiff, $2.50.
Men's 3 and $4.00 Black Derbies—slightly off in weight and finish, $1.75.
Young Men's $3.00 Varsity Soft Hats, $1.50.

SHOES

Department always sells its surplus between seasons—so the shelf emptying reductions are radical.
Women's $2.50 Button and Lace Shoes, $1.75.
Broken lines Women's $3.50 and $4.00 Shoes, $2.00 a pair.
Misses' and Children's $2.50 Patent Colt and Vici Kid Button and Lace Shoes, $1.75—$1.75 and $2.00 ones, $1.25.
$2.75, $3.50 and $4.00 Patent Leather Slippers, $1.75.

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RAILROADS.

PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R.

CLEVELAND SHORT LINE.

Schedule in Effect Nov. 27, 1904.

CENTRAL TIME.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago & Cleve. "Fiyer"	* 1.00 am	* 9.45 pm
Cleveland "Flyer"	* 1.00 am	* 5.30 pm
Youngst'n & Cleve. Mail	* 8.00 am	* 1.30 pm
Buffalo and Erie Express	* 8.00 am	* 1.15 pm
Buffalo and Easterly Exp.	* 8.00 am	* 1.30 pm
Lake Chaut'q and West. Line	*12.25 pm	* 6.00 pm
Buffalo and Erie Express	* 5.00 pm	* 1.15 pm
Cleveland and Chicago Ex.	* 5.00 pm	* 5.30 pm
Boston Special	* 5.00 pm	* 6.25 am
Cleve. & Detroit "Flyer"	* 5.00 pm	* 1.15 am
Chicago Limited "Flyer"	* 5.00 pm	* 5.30 pm
Buffalo and Cleveland Ex.	*10.00 pm	* 6.25 am
Youngstown Accom.	† 5.00 am	† 9.40 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 8.40 am	† 5.55 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 11.50 am	† 8.15 pm
New Castle Accom.	†11.50 am	† 4.15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 5.00 pm	† 9.40 am
New Castle Express	† 5.00 pm	† 1.15 pm
Beaver Falls Express	† 5.00 pm	† 9.30 pm
Brownsville Accom.	† 6.10 am	† 8.45 am
Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex.	* 8.00 am	* 5.00 pm
McKeesp't & Brownsville	†11.30 am	† 8.45 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven	† 3.30 pm	† 5.45 pm
Brownsville & Un. Haven	* 5.30 pm	* 5.45 pm

P. C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Bentleyville and Beechmont, 10.00 a. m., 12.20 p. m. †Daily. ‡Daily except Sunday. §Monday only. [Note—Daily train (Sunday, Youngstown only).

City ticket office, 257 Fifth ave., Park bldg. J. R. TOBE, Gen. Supt. A. ANDERSON, Gen. Pass. Agent. Pittsburgh, Pa.

WABASH

TRAINS LEAVE WABASH STATION DAILY. Corner Liberty Ave. and Ferry St.

Central Time.	Depart.	Arrive.
Toledo an' St. Louis	* 9.00 am	* 1.00 pm
Bridgeville and Hickory	* 9.00 am	* 1.00 pm
St. Louis and Kansas City	* 1.00 pm	* 6.00 pm
Bridgeville and Steubenville	* 4.30 pm	* 1.25 am
Chicago and St. Louis	* 7.30 pm	* 6.25 am

Pullman sleepers and Free Reclining Chair Cars on through trains.

WINTER SPREADS WHITE MANTLE

Heavy Snowfall Covers Western Pennsylvania and Brings Out the Sleigh Bells.

SNOW AND COLDER TODAY

Winter laid her mantle over Pittsburgh and the surrounding territory yesterday and within a few hours after the snow began to fall the whole of Western Pennsylvania was under a white covering. The snowfall, locally, was one of the heaviest so far this winter, and by the time darkness set in it was estimated that over a half-foot had fallen. After dark the open districts in the city and suburbs presented a pretty appearance, as the trees, fences and overhead wires were heavily ladened with glistening snow which had accumulated during the storm.

Traction sweepers were out early in the morning to clear the tracks. The occasional snow flurries continued till about 8 a. m. yesterday, when the fall became heavier and the wind died sufficiently to allow the flakes to remain where they had fallen. Car tracks were soon buried and the sweepers were sent out to clear the way for the night cars. By 3 o'clock in the afternoon the less frequented streets were closed and the snow shovel and brooms were brought into play to open the way for people returning home from work. In many of the streets the snow was piled several feet high.

Made Walking Very Bad.

Along the railroads workmen were early at work clearing the snow from the station platforms and last evening, when the intensity of the storm had somewhat subsided, snow was piled in heaps several feet high at each station. The railroads and traction lines suffered some delay on account of the storm, but not sufficient to prevent the dispatchers from keeping the cars and trains moving close to schedule time. The snow was wet and heavy, but did not accumulate on the telegraph, telephone and trolley wires in sufficient quantities to overtax them.

In the downtown section and the thickly built-up resident sections the snow melted to some extent. Streets and sidewalks were very sloppy last night. The heat from the big buildings and from boilers under the sidewalks soon melted what snow had gathered after the business houses closed, and the men in the stores and office buildings stopped clearing sidewalks. The white wings of the bureau of highways and sewers were out in force with their teams and wagons last night, but it will take some time to carry away the piles of snow and slush.

After the weather map was made up at the local weather office last night the country presented a strange appearance as to weather. West of the Mississippi valley conditions were clear. Western Pennsylvania, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Tennessee, Iowa and the lower lake regions were covered with snow. In the east there was rainfall from New York to Virginia along the Atlantic coast.

The snow yesterday was caused by the storm which in the morning was central over the Ohio valley, moving in conjuction with a storm over Florida, off the Atlantic coast. This condition caused snow here and rain in the east.

Will Be Colder Today.

Snow and colder weather is predicted for today, and while there is no severe cold in sight, a general thaw is not looked for at present. The heavy snow frightened some downtown business interests and last evening Local Forecaster Frank Ridgway was appealed to by several men who wanted to know how big a flood was expected on the local rivers. All were assured that a thaw would make its appearance before danger from flood arose.

Liverymen in the East End were busy last night rigging up their one-horse cutters for customers. Orders came swift and sleighs were overhauled and prepared for a run over the boulevards. The sleighing was perfect on the speedway and the boulevards. The snow contained so much moisture that it readily packed and made running easy. Until midnight the boulevards and speedway were flashing with life and color.

Little damage resulted from the storm on the South Side. Street cars were delayed slightly while the sweepers cleaned the tracks. Slippery sidewalks caused many falls, but no one was seriously hurt.

Women Versus Sweeper.

Several women living in Shaw avenue, McKeesport, waged war on the Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Connellsville Railway Company sweeper and won out after an exciting and laborious contest. Shaw avenue is narrow and as the sweeper ran through the street its brooms hurled wet snow and mud on the sidewalks and against the fronts of houses and windows.

Mrs. John Quinn and Mrs. H. G. Gilchrist called an indignation meeting and the result was that the women secured brooms and shovels and threw the snow back on the car tracks. The traction officials got wind of the women's doings and laughingly sent the sweeper over the same route. The women stuck to their purpose, and after three attempts on the part of the traction company to rout them, men and wagons were sent out and the snow and slush was carted away.

HORNETS BUSY IN WINTER.

Thawed by Heat in Barroom They Drive Bartender and Crowd Out In Snow.

AKRON, O., Jan. 6.—Hornets had possession of the barroom at the Empire hotel today, although the snow covered the ground on the outside. A few days ago the proprietor purchased a hornets' nest from a farmer and hung it over the bar. The entrance hole in the nest was covered by a piece of paper. The heat in the room brought the nest to life. The hornets thought it was again summer and began to get busy. They burst the paper closing the exit and in a few seconds the room was full of hornets.

The bartender ran out covered with the insects and the crowd followed suit, yelling like Indians. A policeman, covered with netting and heavily gloved, finally carried the nest out. The bartender was taken to the hospital with both eyes closed.

NEARLY $3,000,000 IN DEAL.

9,000 Acres of Coal Land Optioned, Probably by Steel Corporation.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Negotiations were closed today for the option of 9,000 acres of coal land in Washington county, owned by J. V. Thompson and Isaac E. Seamans of Uniontown. The company making the options is said to be the United States Steel Corporation. The option price an acre is $333, the total amount involved being almost $3,000,000.

The land is in East Bethlehem, West Bethlehem and West Pike Run townships and Deemston and Beallsville boroughs. The land fronts on the Monongahela river just below Fredericktown. Every acre of the tract is of the Pittsburgh vein.

Former Convict on Rampage.

WHEELING, W. VA., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Jim Sweeney, recently released from the state penitentiary after serving five years for burglary made an assault on several persons in the court room of Justice of the Peace Gompers this afternoon and was finally overpowered by three policemen and taken to jail fighting like a mad man. Sweeney had just been found guilty of an attack on Lizzie Arthur.

Trackman Killed by Train.

JOHNSTOWN, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—George M. Barron, aged 32, and married, was killed here today by a Pennsylvania railroad freight train. He was a trackman.

Arrivals at Pittsburgh Hotels.

Seventh Avenue—T. Hoover, Altoona; D. Burns, Dubois; John Jones, Sharon; John A. Dunn, Wheeling.

Duquesne—J. M. Kinnear, Wheeling; J. O. Lee, Uniontown; A. C. Ross, New Castle; M. Robertson, Donora.

Henry—E. P. Gilbert, Greenville; G. T. Anspach, Altoona; W. E. Porter, Washington; H. D. Hegenburg, Franklin; W. B. McMechan, Wheeling.

Anderson—John Bolt, Youngstown; S. W. Jones, Sattersville.

Griswold—George R. Sturgiss, Greensburg; W. D. Jacobs, Waynesburg.

Monongahela House—M. J. Imler, Connellsville; W. Paramour, Zanesville; John L. Davies, Clarksburg; P. C. Moore, Dawson.

Colonial—S. W. Simpson, Punxsutawney; B. R. Allison, Johnstown; B. H. Johnston, Franklin; C. B. Jones, West Newton.

WHITE WINGS MAKING CITY STREETS PASSABLE

PITTSBURGHER NAMED FOR JAPANESE LEGATION

Irwin B. Laughlin Appointed by President Roosevelt—R. W. Tayler Nominated for Federal Judge.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—President Roosevelt today sent to the senate the

IRWIN B. LAUGHLIN.

name of Irwin B. Laughlin of Pittsburgh to be second secretary of the Japanese legation at Tokyo.

The president also appointed Robert W. Tayler of Youngstown, O., to be United States judge for the Northern district of Ohio, and John B. Rodgson of Medina, Pa., to be United States marshal for the Eastern district of Pennsylvania.

B. & O. WILL BUILD AN 80-MILE BRANCH

Decides to Connect Fairmont, W. Va., and Confluence, Pa.—Road to Cost $12,000,000.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

FAIRMONT, W. VA., Jan. 6.—As soon as weather permits the Baltimore & Ohio railroad will put more than 1,000 men to work building a road between Fairmont and Confluence, Pa., a distance of about 80 miles. The decision to build the line was reached following the report of freight experts who were sent here to determine the increase in freight shipments from this region during the last three years. They decided that if the freight business continues to keep up the ratio of increase maintained for three years, the road will be unable to handle the business soon.

The road will run from Fairmont to Catawba, there crossing the Monongahela river and going to Morgantown, then east to Confluence. It is estimated that the road will cost $12,000,000 and that it will take three years to build it.

TRYING TO REFORM TOWN.

Colonial Steel Company Moving to Suppress Lawlessness at Colonia. Increases Halstead Reward.

NEW BRIGHTON, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The reward for the capture of the men who killed W. H. Halstead at his poolroom in Colonia on December 24 now amounts to $800, the Colonial Steel Company and the Allaire Land Company having each offered $250 in addition to the $300 offered by the county commissioners.

The steel company is anxious to suppress the disorder and lawlessness in the new town and has begun a campaign against all forms of vice. All the workmen in the mills suspected of being "bad men" are being discharged and it is said attempts will be made to clean out several alleged speakeasies and gambling rooms. The court may be petitioned to appoint additional police.

Firing Atlas Coke Plant.

UNIONTOWN, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The H. C. Frick Coke Company has begun firing the old Atlas coke plant, near Hopwood, purchased recently from J. V. Thompson and others of Uniontown. A new pit mouth will be opened and a test hole put down.

The Death Roll

John A. Graff.

John A. Graff, aged 87, a well-known business man of Pittsburgh, died yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Hugh H. Davis, in Chestnut street, Sewickley. He had been ill since Thanksgiving day. Mr. Graff was born in Germany and came to this country with his parents when 17 years old. The family settled in Washington, Pa., removing later to Pittsburgh. Mr. Graff studied dentistry, but on account of his health was obliged to give up his practice. He engaged in the commission business in Liberty street, where he continued until 10 years ago, when he retired. His wife died many years ago. He is survived by the following children: E. A. Graff of Chicago, Harry Graff of Pittsburgh, Mrs. Davis of Sewickley, Mrs. T. Armour and Mrs. Harry Diehl of the East End. Mr. Graff was a member of the Sixth Presbyterian church, Pittsburgh.

Albert Vensel.

Albert Vensel, aged 55, died last night at his home, 569 Walnut street, Wilkinsburg, of pleurisy. He was born in St. Petersburg, Pa., and afterward lived at Manor station. Ten years ago he moved to Wilkinsburg. He was a member of the Wilkinsburg Trinity Reformed church and of Royal Arcanum Council 760 of Wilkinsburg. He was engaged in oil operations in Clarion county, Pa., previous to taking a position as foreman for the Peoples Gas Company. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Margaret E. Vensel, and eight children: Curtis, Harry E., Ortisell, Walter G., Arthur, Isaiah, Mrs. Lulia and Miss Ella, all of Wilkinsburg; also by two brothers, Charles of Wilkinsburg and John of Ohio City, O., and two sisters, Mrs. J. J. Ashwell of St. Petersburg, Pa., and Mrs. P. M. Brigham of Oil City, Pa.

John Redmond Grace.

John Redmond Grace, aged 62, is dead at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mattie Hite, 455 Alexander street, McKees Rocks. Mr. Grace suffered from heart disease and died suddenly in his chair at midnight Thursday. He was born in the First ward, Pittsburgh, and spent the early part of his life here. He then removed to the South Side, where he lived for 25 years. He was the son of Capt. Redmond Grace, a former well-known riverman. Mr. Grace was a member of the St. Francis de Sales Catholic church, McKees Rocks, and is survived by two sons, Jared M. of Bellevue and John M. of the South Side, and two daughters, Mrs. Gertrude McGinnis and Mrs. M. Hiller of Morningside and Mrs. Amelia Heartzog of Butler.

Remains Expected Tonight.

The body of Thomas McDermott, who died last Monday in Denver, Col., is expected to arrive in Braddock tonight or Sunday morning. He will be buried in Braddock. He was 68 years old and went west 18 years ago.

Obituary Notes.

The Hon. John J. Glenn, former circuit court judge of the Tenth Illinois district, died yesterday at Monmouth, Ill. He was born in Ashland county, Ohio, March 2, 1837, and was elected to the bench in 1877, and retired in 1903 on account of ill health.

John P. Faidy, chief train dispatcher of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at New Castle Junction, died at New Castle Thursday, aged 42. He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic church of New Castle, and belonged to the Knights of Columbus. He leaves a wife and four children.

Carlos D. Williamson, aged 31, is dead at the residence of his father, William Z. Taylor, of 606 Hazel street, McKeesport. Mr. Williamson was connected with the National Tube Company for 15 years. He was a member of the First Presbyterian church, and is survived by his widow and two daughters.

HARVESTER IS SOLD.

A. R. Budd Coal Company Disposes of a Well-known Steamer, Barges and Boats.

Capt. A. R. Budd, president of the A. R. Budd Coal Company, announced yesterday the sale of the company's steamer, Harvester, with 10 barges and 17 coal boats to the United States Gas, Coal and Coke Company of Paducah, Ky. The deal involves about $65,000. The Harvester is at Cincinnati with the barges and boats.

Capt. Budd said last night that the sale was made because of the receipt of an offer of the company's price on its property. The company still has the Frank Gilmore and a number of barges and proposes to remain actively in the river coal business. It will either buy or build an additional steamer and equipment.

CHRISTMAS OF SERVIANS TO BE CELEBRATED TODAY

The celebration of the Christmas of the Servian Orthodox church, which occurs January 7, will take place today in St. Savo church, Hazel and Fifth avenues, McKeesport. A Christmas mass will be celebrated and the ceremony of dedicating American flags to the service of the various societies will take place. Over 3,000 members of societies from Ohio, West Virginia and Western Pennsylvania will take part in the services.

MEMBERS OF ORCHESTRA USED INSTRUMENTS FOR WEAPONS

Nearly $100 worth of musical instruments were wrecked in a free-for-all fight between members of a Hungarian Gypsy orchestra in Dickson street, Homestead, yesterday afternoon. An argument arose among the men over their ability to play. Violins, flutes and other instruments were smashed over the heads of the musicians before the police arrived.

Had Two Fingers Torn Off.

Charles Bastin, aged 27, of 80 McClure avenue, Allegheny, while working in the Neville Island plant of the American Steel and Wire Company yesterday morning had two fingers of his left hand torn from their sockets. He is at the McKees Rocks hospital.

Something Interesting

will appear Sunday in the classified section of The Sunday Gazette.

DIED.

BECKETT—At the family home, No. 629 Murtland avenue, East End, on Wednesday, January 4, 1905, at 6 p. m., MARY K. SMITH-BECKETT, wife of Frederick Beckett, in her 60th year.

Funeral services at the Fourth Methodist Protestant church, corner Park avenue and Mayflower street, East End, Saturday at 2:30 p. m. Interment private.

[Chicago (Ill.) papers please copy.]

CRAWFORD—On Thursday, January 5, 1905, at 8 a. m., at his residence, near Midway, ELDER DAVID CRAWFORD, of heart failure, aged 56 years 9 months 19 days.

Funeral on Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

DUFF—At Northern Pike, Penn township, Allegheny county, Pa., on Friday, January 6, 1905, at 1 o'clock a. m., PARY LESLIE, son of Robert F. and Bessie P. Duff (nee Beswarick), in his 11th year.

Funeral services will be held at parents' residence on Sabbath, January 8, 1905, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. Interment at Hebron cemetery.

GRAFF—At Sewickley, on Friday, January 6, 1905, JOHN A. GRAFF, in his 87th year.

Funeral services at the residence of his son-in-law, Hugh H. Davis, 815 Chestnut street, Sewickley, on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment private on Monday. Train leaves Ft. Wayne station, Allegheny, at 2 o'clock, city time, returning leaves Sewickley at 3:50 p. m.

GEIST—On Friday, January 6, 1905, at 2:30 o'clock a. m., at his home, 320 Ophelia street, Fourteenth ward, FREDERICK D., husband of Mary P. Wetzel Geist, aged 76 years.

Funeral services on Sunday, January 8, 1905, at 2 o'clock p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private later.

LOWRY—On Tuesday, January 3, 1905, at Brevard, N. C., ALICE HAVEN, daughter of Martin and Elizabeth Logan Lowry.

Funeral services at the family residence, No. 615 Bellefonte street, East End, Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

MORRISON—On Friday, January 6, 1905, at 7:55 o'clock p. m., ELIZABETH MORRISON (nee Fleming), wife of Michael Morrison, Jr., in her 32th year.

Funeral from the family residence, 21 Third street, on Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Services at St. Marys of Mercy church, Third avenue and Perry street, at 9 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

SCHEUERMANN—On Wednesday, January 4, 1905, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., at his residence, 511 Main street, Shaspburg, Pa., Dr. CARL V. SCHEUERMANN, beloved husband of Cornelia M. Scheuermann (nee Kork), aged 42 years 7 months.

Funeral services Saturday, January 7, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the residence of his brother-in-law, George Phillip Amend, 1907 Sarah street, South Side, Pittsburgh. Friends of the family and members of Germania lodge No. 309, F. and A. M., Court Penn No. 3887, I. O. F., and Humboldt lodge No. 39, A. O. U. W., are respectfully invited to attend. [Cincinnati, Sandusky and Toledo (O.) papers please copy.]

SILVEY—On Thursday, January 5, 1905, at 8:20 o'clock p. m., at the family residence, No. 1725 Abbot street, East End, near Wilkinsburg line, ALEXANDER HAMILTON SILVEY, in his 61st year.

Funeral services will be held at his late residence this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private in Allegheny cemetery.

VENSEL—On Friday, January 6, 1905, at 5:10 o'clock p. m., at Wilkinsburg, Pa., ALBERT VENSEL, aged 55 years 7 months and 28 days.

Funeral services at his late residence, 569 Walnut avenue, on Monday, January 9, at 2 o'clock p. m. Interment in Woodlawn cemetery. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

(Clarion county papers please copy.)

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TUCKER HARD HIT BY HANDWRITING EXPERT

Witness Says Accused Man Wrote Signature on Paper Found in Girl's Room.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., Jan. 6.—Two points deemed important by them were developed by counsel at today's session of the court which is trying Charles L. Tucker on the charge of murdering Miss Mabel Page. One of these was the statement by Harold Page, the brother of the murdered woman, that he had been acquainted with Tucker for more than six years, and that the latter had called twice at the Page home, the first time at the invitation of the witness.

The other feature was the statement of M. D. Ewell of Evanston, Ill., a handwriting expert, that the person who wrote the address, "J. L. Morton, Charleston, Mass.," on a piece of paper found on the floor of Miss Page's room after the murder, was the person who filled out and signed the sales slips, alleged by the government to have been made out by Tucker while he was a salesman for a Boston firm of stationers.

During the course of the trial today all of the garments worn by Miss Page on the day she was murdered were entered as exhibits in the case. With the exception of the outer garments and the shoes and stockings, every article bore large, crimson stains.

BRADDOCK STANDS ALONE.

Only Borough in America Which Has Horse and Wagon for Collection of Mail.

The postal authorities at Washington yesterday notified Postmaster C. H. Sheets of Braddock that an additional carrier would be allowed that borough after January 16, and that a horse and cart could also be permitted for the collection of mail.

Braddock now has 14 carriers, and a precedent will be established by the addition of a horse and cart to collect mail, as no other borough in America has this concession.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Joseph B. Linhart	Clarksville
Anna M. Nonnenberg	Clarksburg
Martin Kenny	Allegheny
Lena Brill	Allegheny
Charles W. Bertges	Pittsburgh
Mamie Weidner	Pittsburgh
Reuben Wilson	Allegheny
Laura Curtis	Pittsburgh
Eli Mento	Woolville
Mary R. Hale	Carnegie
Herman C. Kehr	Toronto, Can.
Gertrude V. McTighe	Pittsburgh
Robert Tolan	Homestead
Dora Boyd	Homestead
Stephen Kolakoski	Braddock
Jehale Blum	Braddock

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There is no particular satisfaction in passing from this life leaving behind a small business and the life insurance.

The man who is capable of doing that much can do from ten to fifty times as much with the expenditure of not much more physical or mental energy.

A manufacturer should reach out for all the trade there is, and, while no man can get it all, enough can be secured to score a brilliant business triumph.

The man who is content with little will, in these hustling times, be likely to find himself obliged to be content with nothing. Advertising for business is the way to get it, and it is only a question of proper advertising methods that stands between any manufacturer of good goods and success.

The Ladies' Home Journal and The Saturday Evening Post are profitable advertising mediums, not only because combined they reach a total of 1,700,000 homes and are read by 8,500,000 people, but because every subscriber pays for his or her magazine. People don't pay for magazines they don't read, and magazines that are not read can be of no use to the advertiser.

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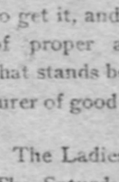

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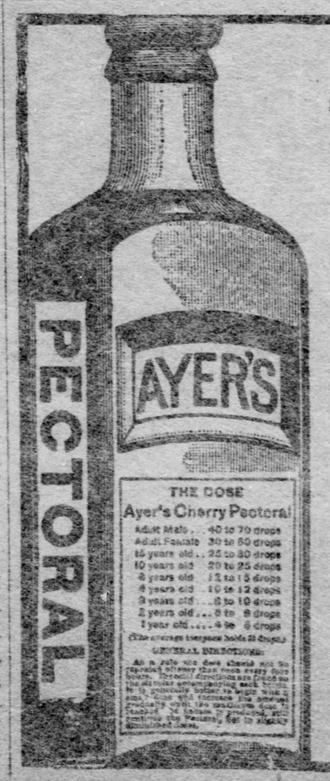
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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

Department of Public Safety,
City of Allegheny, January 4, 1905.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the city comptroller until 10 o'clock a. m. Friday, January 13, 1905, for furnishing supplies for the department of public safety for one year from the date of contract, supplies to consist of feed, disinfectants, ice, coal, electrical supplies, battery materials, fire alarm boxes, police boxes, gongs, indicators, tappers, inking registers, wires, cables, etc. Blank proposals containing approximate quantities can be had and all information obtained at this office. Each proposal must be accompanied by a bond with two sureties probated before the city comptroller, or the bond of a surety trust company, which has complied with the ordinance of councils for furnishing bonds for city contracts, bonds to be in the sum of one-half the estimated cost of said work or supplies. The mayor and director of the department of public safety reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Proposals will be opened publicly in the office of the mayor at 11 o'clock a. m. on Friday, January 13, 1905.

THOMAS B. McADAMS,
Director Department of Public Safety.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
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Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the city comptroller until 10 o'clock a. m. Friday, January 13, 1905, for the removal of all dead animals, carcasses and offal in the city of Allegheny, in accordance with the provisions of an ordinance authorizing the same in the following form, viz:

First. For the removal of all carcasses for a given sum.

Second. For the removal of all carcasses for a specific sum for each animal.

Third. For the removal of all carcasses for which the parties bidding shall pay a given sum.

Fourth. For the removal of all carcasses for which the parties bidding shall pay a specific sum for each animal.

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FREW DEMANDED PUBLIC HEARING

Defended Expenses of the Carnegie Library Before Sub-Committee of Councils.

ATTACK UPON MUSIC HALL

By the grace of W. N. Frew, president of the Carnegie library board of trustees, the meeting of the city council sub-committee on appropriations yesterday was made public for the first time and representatives of the newspapers were able to listen to an explanation of the expenses of the Carnegie library system of Pittsburgh, which has been vigorously assailed in city administration circles.

When President Frew entered the mayor's private office yesterday afternoon to defend his estimates of expenses for the coming fiscal year he was surprised to discover the doors closed, expecting to find the sub-committee in open session. He so stated and asked that reporters be admitted to hear his statement. The mayor and members of the sub-committee finally consented and the mayor's secretary so notified the reporters, who for three days had been kept on the outside.

This will be the last public meeting of the sub-committee except on next Tuesday, when President Frew will be heard again. The sub-committee meets again Monday, but the session will again be secret.

Mr. Frew's statement was supported by reports from the heads of the library departments and letters from owners of large buildings, the latter in reference to the salary paid the superintendent of Carnegie library.

May Cut Out Music Hall.

The principal items in the library estimates attacked by the sub-committee were the salaries of the librarian and superintendent of buildings and the expenses of the music hall.

After the meeting one of the councilmen stated that the entire music hall item, which amounts to upward of $10,000, would be cut out and the music hall made self-sustaining with rentals received from concerts and entertainments. It was also announced by members of the sub-committee that Controller Larkin would refuse to pay the salary of Superintendent Charles R. Cunningham on the grounds that he is a non-resident of the city.

Mayor Hays told President Frew that Controller Larkin would not pay any employe who had not been a resident of the city six months. When this statement was repeated to Controller Larkin he refused to tell what he would do, although he held up the salary of Alexander Wallace, now superintendent of police, but formerly a detective, because Wallace had not previously made his home in Pittsburgh for the required six months.

City Has Equal Voice.

Mr. Frew's statement was largely an explanation of the technical details of the library work. After he had gone into a detailed comment upon the work of the reference department and asked if he should proceed further along the same line, Chairman Helmold said:

"We don't want any more of that."

Mr. Frew said in the first place he wanted to emphasize the distinction between the library and the institute. The institute consisted of the fine arts departments and the museum and was supported by an endowment of $2,000,000 from Mr. Carnegie, while the city maintained the library and branches.

Helmold said when Mr. Carnegie made his first offer he only asked the city to appropriate $15,000 annually, but Frew did not remember about that. He said Mr. Carnegie gave the city $1,000,000 for a library upon the condition that the city would appropriate annually not less than $40,000 for its maintenance, emphasizing the two words, "not less." This offer, he stated, had been accepted by the city, and the city obligated itself to pay not less than $40,000 a year, which sum had increased proportionately with the work of the library and its branches.

How Expenses Have Grown.

Frew defended the councilmen and other city officials from the accusation that they had not been permitted to have much to say concerning the management of the library. He said the city had a representation on the library board equal to the nine other members appointed by Mr. Carnegie, the city's representatives consisting of the mayor, the two presidents of councils, the president of the central board of education and the five members of the council committees on libraries. He said the chairmen of two of the three committees of the library board were representatives of the city and 8 out of the 14 members of the committees were city representatives.

Frew said the expenses of the library had grown from $40,000 to $158,000 a year because the work had grown greatly. He said the circulation had increased from over 100,000 books to 653,000, which was the circulation last year. Since 1896 five branches had been established. The expenses of the five branch libraries for a year amounted to $56,336, of which $22,-561 was for salaries alone.

Frew Defends Wilson.

President Frew took up the subject of the music hall and Chairman Helmold and Mayor Hays attacked this item. Frew praised the ability of Manager George H. Wilson, and said he was employed jointly by the library, the Art society and the Pittsburgh orchestra, and received $1,500 a year as his share from the library. He said the expense of maintaining a downtown office was shared jointly by the city or library, the Art society and the Pittsburgh orchestra. These expenses, he said, included rent, the salaries of a stenographer and office boy.

Chairman Helmold asked if the city had any agreement with Mr. Carnegie to maintain a music hall, and Frew admitted that it had not. Frew spoke of the rentals received from the Pittsburgh orchestra and other organizations for the use of the music hall, and the mayor and Chairman Helmold asked if these rentals were turned into the city treasury. Frew said he did not know, and promised to look it up. Mr. Helmold said if the rentals were turned into the city treasury the music hall ought to be self-supporting, and this item of the appropriation should be cut out.

Hopkins Gets Only $3,000.

"Are not the salaries paid the heads of your departments and other employes higher than the salaries paid for similar work in other libraries, and even by our city government?" Helmold asked Frew.

"I don't think so," replied Frew. "Librarian Anderson began at a salary of $4,000 a year and was raised to $6,000 because he was offered that salary to go to Brooklyn, and he said the difference in the cost of living meant that $6,000 in Brooklyn was equal to $8,000 in Pittsburgh.

"Mr. Anderson resigned because of the ill-health of his wife and daughter."

Helmold inquired what salary A. H. Hopkins, who succeeded Anderson as librarian, got as librarian in Louisville just previous to coming to Pittsburgh. Frew thought that Hopkins got $4,000 in Louisville, but Helmold said he was assured that Hopkins got only $3,000 and he thought a raise to $6,000 was a big jump.

Frew said that Hopkins would not come to Pittsburgh for less than $6,000.

"Doesn't he like Pittsburgh?" asked Helmold.

"No; it costs more to live in Pittsburgh than in Louisville," said Frew.

Helmold wanted to know something about Supt. Cunningham, who gets $4,000 a year.

"He is an electrical and mechanical engineer," said Frew. "We save his salary many times by his ability. We never get bills for plumbing, for electrical work or gas fixtures, because the superintendent and his men are trained in this work. He is responsible for the main library and all the branch library buildings."

Cunningham a Non-Resident.

He called attention to the accusation made by Helmold through the newspapers that Supt. Cunningham was overpaid and in reply to this began reading letters from a number of owners of downtown office buildings certifying to Cunningham as a competent man and giving the opinion that he was not being paid too much for his services. Three letters were read, from Herbert DuPuy of the Empire building, H. C. Frick of the Frick building and D. E. Park of the Park building. Helmold interrupted and asked if Frew knew that Cunningham was a non-resident.

"Your board certainly knows or ought to know that the city cannot employ a non-resident," said Helmold.

"Yes, Controller Larkin refuses to pay any employe who has not been a resident of the city for six months," added Mayor Hays.

"That may be," replied Frew, "but I don't know how we would get along without Mr. Cunningham."

"I suppose you could get along without him if he should die," suggested Councilman Zeuger.

Mayor Raises Objections.

"Mr. Frew, we are satisfied with the manner in which the library is conducted, but what we want to know is how the money appropriated by the city is spent and what income is received, if any," said Helmold. "Is it possible to reduce the expenses any?"

"I don't think it is possible to reduce the expenses a dollar without injuring the service just that much," was the answer.

"I have noticed," said Mayor Hays, "by a comparison of the present payroll of the library with former payrolls that the higher class employes have had their salaries advanced by cutting the salaries of the lower class of employes."

"I don't think that it is true," said President Frew. "Taking the guards, for instance, who receive $55 and $60 a month, they all started in at $50 a month."

"Another thing," said the mayor, "I have heard that the librarian does not put in very much time at the library; that he goes there only about two or three times a week."

"That is cruel," said President Frew. "Mr. Anderson was very faithful. He went to the library every morning at about 8:30 and never left before 5 o'clock."

What Other Cities Pay.

Chairman Helmold said the librarian of the Congressional library at Washington, D. C., was paid only $5,000 a year and had 186 employes under him, while Pittsburgh had only 156 employes and paid its librarian $6,000. President Frew thought that the Congressional librarian got $7,000 or $8,000. Helmold said New York city appropriated only $183,000 a year, with a population of over 2,000,000, while Pittsburgh, with a population of only 300,000, appropriated $158,000. Frew said that New York was not doing as good work as Pittsburgh. Helmold said that Baltimore appropriated only $30,000 a year for its libraries, although its circulation was 100,000 more books a year than Pittsburgh.

"The $50,000 appropriated by Baltimore is only wasted," said Frew. "The Baltimore libraries cannot be compared with the Pittsburgh libraries in results and the librarian of Baltimore has said in his report that unless the city spends more money it might as well close its libraries."

Clark's Estimates Approved.

After some further discussion Chairman Helmold told President Frew that the sub-committee would meet next week when he would be asked to appear again. It was announced that the sub-committee will meet next Monday afternoon, when Director Bigelow will be given a hearing. On Tuesday President Frew will be heard again. Director Moore will also be given another hearing.

Director Clark's estimates have been approved and he has been granted the same appropriation as last year. This does not include any provision for a hospital, which Director Clark wanted badly. Chairman Helmold said the estimates presented by the departments would not go into councils next Monday, as anticipated, but would be withheld until the sub-committee completes its work. Bank appropriation bills will be introduced in councils Monday and referred to the finance committee and the finance committee will receive the report of the sub-committee, promptly approve it and incorporate the work of the sub-committee in the appropriation and tax levy bills to be sent back to councils.

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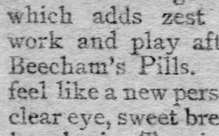

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(Special Correspondence of The Tribune.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—William Wallace Hadley, the famous professor of Panopathy and physiactrics, has again demonstrated his mysterious power over disease. He shows that the drugs prescribed by doctors and the surgeon's knife are often worse than useless, and, by healing hundreds of hopeless invalids pronounced incurable by physicians he proves his claims that there is no disease he may not cure. In defiance of the supposed laws and rules of modern medical practice and the theories of physicians and specialtists, he has made the human heart beat again in the body of a woman prepared for the grave and performed other seeming miracles of restoration to life and health of men and women given up to death. Indeed, he succeeds in the face of such apparent impossibilities that he appears to possess a healing power unequalled in either ancient or modern times—a power above and beyond that given to ordinary mortals. In comparison, the successful operations of the world's greatest specialists become insignificant child's play. Apparently the supposedly incurable diseases, such as paralysis, consumption, heart disease, cancer, deafness, any of the liquor or drug habits, etc., are cured by him just as easily as the more common disorders of humanity. Going still further, he has proved that he can cure patients in their own homes thousands of miles away just as quickly and surely as though they came to him in person. To extend the blessing of this wonderful power to mankind, there remained but one thing for him to do, and that he has done by abandoning his private practice and offering his services free of charge to all who stand in need. He is quoted as saying that he feels it his religious duty to help the sick and afflicted, independent of any reward.

One of the causes that makes possible the belief that Prof. Hadley's power approaches supernatural control over disease even to the point of death is that of a Mr. E. C. Bess of El Campo, Tex., who was rescued from the grave after the doctors had given him up to die, could do nothing to revive him and left him for dead. Brought to this condition by the combined attack of kidney and liver disease, dropsy and acute articular rheumatism, he suffered the torments of the damned and was almost insane with pain before the end came. The doctors and their medicines failed utterly. Although he was as good as dead when Prof. Hadley's attention was called to his case, he was speedily restored to life and health by this panopath's marvelous power, though even Mr. Bess himself confesses that he does not know exactly how this miracle was performed. Another case, almost equally remarkable, was that of a Mrs. J. C. Whitfield of Norfolk, Va., who asserts that he revived the vital spark in her body when she was prepared for the grave, that at the end of a long siege of illness from a complication of diseases her body felt cold and lifeless. But she says that Prof. Hadley made her heart beat again, the blood flow through her veins once more and warmth return to her wasted body. Naturally she looks upon her rescue and restoration to health as passing understanding. Prof. Hadley saved the life of Charles W. Miller of Columbia Furnace, Va., when threatened with a deadly cancer, without the use of a knife or burning. He restored to perfect health Mrs. M. Worthington of Center Square, Pa., a woman who had been an invalid for 25 years from complicated female troubles, many long months bedridden in hospitals, and who had been pronounced incurable and given up to die by all her physicians. Yet, these are only random instances selected from among the hundreds where Prof. Hadley's almost miraculous power has made the bonds of disease fall away as if they were broken chains, and restored health and happiness to suffering men and women.

Naturally the announcement that a man of such wonderful ability to heal will hereafter give services and home treatment free to all who ask is most sensational and far-reaching in its effects, since it gives every one throughout the country, the poor as well as the rich, an equal opportunity to be cured by availing themselves of this philanthropic offer made by one of the greatest scientists of the age. And it is the more remarkable and fortunate in view of the fact that there is NO disease he may not cure.

When questioned in regard to his abandonment of private practice in order to devote himself to the new line of work for humanity, Prof. Hadley said:

"Yes, it is true, but I intend to go on curing any one who is ill, of any disease they may have, just as long as I am able. Indeed, where I cured hundreds before, I expect to cure thousands hereafter, since now neither wealth nor poverty makes any difference in my accepting patients. I have become convinced as a Christian it is my duty to help the sick and afflicted wherever they may be, whoever they are and whatever their circumstances."

"But how about those at a distance?"

"Distance makes no difference. I can cure those thousands of miles away just as easily as those who come to my office. A letter does just as much good as if I went to them or they came to me."

"Do you really mean that any one who is sick can write to you to be cured without paying you any money?"

"Exactly. I mean just that. All that any one who is ill from any cause has to do in order to enlist my services is to write to me, addressing William Wallace Hadley, office 1052 L, 703 Madison avenue, New York, telling me the disease they suffer from most and their principal symptoms, and I will send them a course of home treatment absolutely free of charge. While I am not a millionaire, and I appreciate the expense this may mean, I look upon the restoration to health of my fellowmen not as a question of money, but as a duty I owe to humanity. I will have my reward in proving my power to the world, and in showing the uselessness of wasting money on doctors and medicines when it is not necessary."

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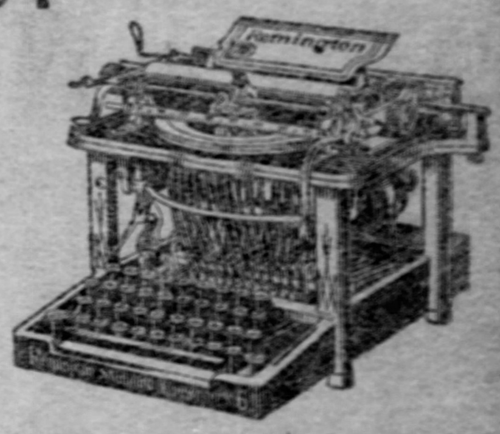

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HARMONY IN SIGHT FOR ALLEGHENY

Open Primaries Throughout the City Final Step in Drift Toward Peace.

TORRANCE IS UNOPPOSED

"The Republican party has thrown open the primaries in every ward in the city, and it looks as though we were going to have harmony and a united party at last."

Vice Chairman John H. Henderson of the Allegheny city Republican committee, made this statement last night at a suggestion meeting in the Sherman avenue, second ward, school.

"It was talked over in the city executive board and finally put up to the ward committees, and all have decided that the primary shall be open to all who wish to enter. This gives every man a chance who wishes to be a candidate, and stops the cry of those who have been fighting the party, that the rules are too severe on those guilty of political apostacy. You will notice that in several of the wards Citizens councilmen have been suggested as Republican candidates for re-election. If the voters are in favor of sending these men back it is only right that they should go back. Our open primary will give everyone a chance to express his sentiments."

When asked what effect this decision would have on the administration plans for the spring election, Henderson said:

Coming Back to Old Party.

"I really don't know what the administration is going to do, but I am given to understand there is to be an independent ticket. The way the Citizens councilmen are getting into the Republican party and placing their names on the Republican tickets in the hope of being re-elected, shows how things are drifting."

The Second ward meeting was an interesting one. At the door of the schoolhouse several policemen and some other city employes kept watch. All city employes who entered were informed that Mayor Wyman had issued orders that no city employe was to go into the Republican meeting. Not one of those warned remained out of the meeting.

Dr. Samuel S. Woodburn opened the meeting. James A. Elphinstone was elected chairman and Dr. C. B. Bratt, secretary. A resolution read and approved is to the effect that all candidates will abide by the result of the primary election and will not permit their names to appear on any ticket but the Republican, unless the approval of the ward committee is obtained. Furthermore, all candidates must pledge themselves to support the entire ticket.

What Candidates Must Pay.

The scale of assessments for candidates was fixed by resolution and candidates must have their money in the hands of the ward chairman on or before January 2. The scale is as follows: Select council, $50; common, $25; school director, $15; constable, $10; alderman, $25; ward assessor, $10.

Francis J. Torrance was unanimously chosen to succeed himself in select council. No other candidate was suggested. William A. Ford, who was to have been Wyman's candidate to oppose Torrance got on the ticket as a candidate for common council. The following candidates were suggested:

Common council (six to elect), W. C. Burry, Charles F. Putheff, John S. Miller, Thomas M. Boyd, Jr., W. J. Burke, William A. Ford, H. H. Hipwell, William E. Kimberlin, Robert Alston, Julius Haering, Samuel McElroy, William C. Akenhead, J. D. Lankard, Joseph C. Pierce, W. C. Small and Frank L. Blair; alderman, David McKelvey; constable, Robert Alexander, Al Dietrich and Charles Eldeburn; school directors (two to elect), Andrew Patterson and W. C. Butterfield; ward assessor, Charles Milligan, Edward Morrison and Frederick Mabaun; election inspectors, W. J. Burry, Robert McCann, William Boyd, Hugh McDonald, S. A. Chessman, W. B. Nieson, Thomas Hoffman, William B. Crecse, Samuel Anderson, Edward Cartright, Thomas Mellon, William A. Bechtel, Charles Denny, Charles Getty, Albert Berryhill and Caleb Cassady; election judges, James A. Ebright, Robert H. Smith, I. N. De Haven, J. N. Reynolds, George Pardick, H. H. Frazier, Charles Lehugh, James Skiles, George Riddle, J. C. Walker, E. F. Riddle, Charles Steadyford, H. A. Rebele, C. O. Zimmerman, Henry Martin, R. E. Graham, J. S. Pierce, John A. Wilson, C. L. Maratta and Henry Martin; register assessors, W. H. Kimberlin, Joseph B. Dyer, R. M. Miller, J. H. D. Martin, C. A. Harvey, J. H. Schoff, Frederick Weedman, Frederick Mabaun, Albert Gray, Thomas S. Dickson, Andrew Thompson, J. J. Bothwell, J. R. Wilson and W. H. Hern.

Suggestions in Other Wards.

In the Eleventh ward the following ticket was suggested:

Select council, John C. Oliver; common council, E. G. Lang, William Morrison and Bernard Casement; school director, David B. Oliver and H. C. Miller; ward assessor, Phillip Neuhart and Isaac Morris; constable, John Merriman and Jacob Whitner.

John R. Henricks says he will run independent of any party.

The Allegheny Democratic city committee met last night in common council chamber and adopted rules. The latter are similar to those governing the Democratic party in Pittsburgh, with a few minor changes.

The Republicans of the Fifth ward, Allegheny, suggested the following:

Select council (one to elect), Dr. H. S. Campbell and Thomas McBride; common council (one to elect), Dr. F. H. Frederiks, William J. Lutz, John M. Orr, Thomas McHenry and John Dittmar; school directors (two to elect), Miss Kate C. MacKnight, Charles Honess and William Pennington.

The Republicans of the Sixth ward, Allegheny, named the following:

Common council (four to elect), Theodore Steinbreuner, William G. Frederick, William Ritchie, Thomas W. Harvey, J. W. Brady, Joseph H. Reed, Harry Parkhill and Robert K. Cochran; school directors (two to elect), John Stitzel, Uriah J. Venning, W. B. Taylor and John Heisch. Jacob Mecty was named for assessor and Joseph Harper for constable.

PREPARING FOR PRIMARY.

Republicans Hold Suggestion Meetings in Several Wards—Soffels Tied Up With Pledge in Thirty-Second.

A number of Republican suggestion meetings were held last night. In some of the wards aldermen will be elected, but in most of them the only places at stake are the ward offices and election boards.

In the Thirty-second ward the Soffel faction suggested their man for alderman, Jacob Soffel, Sr., the present incumbent. It is currently believed that the Soffels intend to have Soffel indorsed by the Orphans, Union and United Voters parties, whether he receives the Republican nomination or not, but the Republican's ward committee has exacted from all candidates a pledge that they will support the entire Republican ticket and will not accept an indorsement from any party unless the entire Republican city, ward and district ticket be also indorsed. The following are the results of the suggestion meetings:

Thirty-second ward — Alderman, Jacob Soffel, Sr., and Henry Ihrig; school directors (two to elect), L. D. Statler, Martin Kimmel, Stanley L. Neeley and Leonard Rau, the last two being Soffel adherents; assessor, Andrew Engel; constable, Charles Picoth. C. W. Wilbert was the chairman of the meeting.

Twelfth ward—Constable, George Kramer; assessor, William McLaughlin; school directors, Springfield district (two to elect), George Plato, Edward Thompson and Rutherford Baker; O'Hara district, Martin Hauch and Owen Welsh.

Fifteenth ward—Alderman, Samuel K. Kerr; constable, Francis S. Sonnefeld; assessor, Henry Hofmeister; school directors (two to be named by the ward committee).

Twenty-fourth ward—School directors (two to elect), Gustave Kropp, John Snyder and David Simmons; constable, Mark Marovic; ward assessor, George H. Rusack.

The Seventh Ward Colored Republican club last night indorsed the candidates named at the suggestion meeting held the night before. James G. Gross presided.

Probably Perished in Fire.

BRODERICK, Jan. 6.—A fire tonight during a heavy gale of wind threatened the entire destruction of this town, together with a huge coal breaker. The fire was, however, confined to a double and single dwelling. Two children of Peter Smith are missing and probably perished.

CASTING ABOUT FOR A LEADER

Death of Ward R. Bliss Leaves Important Vacancy in the Legislature.

MANY NAMES ARE MENTIONED

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Press Building.
PHILADELPHIA, PA., Jan. 6.

Considerable rearrangement of the Republican leaders' plans for watching over the affairs of the legislature's lower branch is made necessary on account of the death in this city this morning of Representative Ward R. Bliss of Delaware county. As Mr. Bliss was floor manager in the house and chairman of the appropriations committee, the party leaders are now face to face with the task of selecting the men to fill both places before the reconvening of the legislature on January 16, as both places are of vital importance.

So far there is nothing stranger than discussion as to who shall fill the vacant places. Usually the chairmanship of the appropriation committeeship goes with the leadership on the floor of the house, but of course it does not follow that this rule will be followed in the present case.

It is possible that Representative Frank B. McClain of Lancaster county will be chosen as head of the appropriations committee. Of the 30 members of this body only nine were returned, including the late Mr. Bliss. The surviving eight are: McClain of Lancaster; McElroy, McKean; Mohr, Berks; Ambler, Montgomery; Smith, Indiana; Magee, Venango; Hamilton, Philadelphia, and Irwin of Blair.

Mr. McClain is the ranking member and as he worked hand-in-hand with Mr. Bliss during the time he served with him on the committee, the idea prevails that he will be given the chairmanship. While there appears to be some uncertainty as to the likelihood of the floor leadership falling to his lot, legislators are inclined to the belief that he will get the chairmanship.

Other Names Mentioned.

Several others are mentioned for the leadership on the floor, among them being Representative Daniel Shern of Philadelphia and Representative J. Lee Plummer of Blair county. Mr. Shearn is spoken of for the post of floor manager because of his experience in legislative affairs, and his ability to handle the work which would necessarily come under his notice. He is trustworthy and loyal to Senator Penrose and Insurance Commissioner Durham. He comes from the Eighth ward, which is Senator Penrose's home ward, and has long been a Durham supporter.

There was some question several months ago whether he cared to return to Harrisburg this year for another term in the legislature. He was named by the leaders for renomination and re-elected, and laid aside personal wishes to oblige his political friends. He is a good speaker, and possesses the temperament necessary if a floor leader is to be a success.

It is the expectation that Representative John H. Riebel, the "father of the house," also of this city, will be called on frequently to aid in directing Republican legislation on the floor. Riebel, as his title signifies, has had many years of experience in legislatures, and the unexpected emergency brought about by the death of Mr. Bliss will result, no doubt, in his being chosen to aid the leaders in the present session.

Plummer May Be Called.

Representative Plummer, of Blair county, has had much experience in legislative work, and there are those who predict that he will be named to succeed Mr. Bliss as floor manager. Because of Representative McClain's open allegiance to the old Elkin forces there are not a few who think that his chances for selection as floor manager is improbable. This is due to the knowledge of McClain's independence in dealing with matters of public importance and the great power vested in the floor leader.

Mr. Bliss's funeral will be held from his late residence in Chester on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Speaker Henry F. Walton has appointed the following committee of the house representatives and with them will attend the funeral, Cooper, Delaware, chairman; Ripp, Hutt, Clarencey, Philadelphia; Cook and Eder, Allegheny; Plummer, Blair; Wayne, Chester; Creasy, Columbia; Thompson, Fayette; McClain, Lancaster; Weida, Montgomery, Amerman, Montour, and Pusey, Delaware.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

LAST NIGHT'S CONCERT PLEASING INNOVATION

Mendelssohn Music Accompanied Reading of Shakespeare's "Mid-Summer Night."

Incidental music, as it accompanies the dramas of the present day is far too apt to prove a weariness to the flesh and the spirit. To realize what a charming thing incidental music is one is forced to go back to the days of Mendelssohn and listen to the melodic delights he conceived as accompaniment to Shakespeare's comedy, "A Midsummer Night's Dream." This ravishing music was never played with greater effect than at last night's Pittsburgh orchestra concert at the Pittsburgh Carnegie music hall, when Conductor Emil Paur made great magic with his baton and wrought a very revelry of sound. From the first of the overture to the last note of the final chorus, there was nothing to mar a complete and artistic presentment of this most artistic conception.

The reader, Mr. George Riddle of Cambridge, Mass., an elocutionist of repute, was in every way satisfactory, but in the comedy scenes he reached his greatest effects. In these his work was admirably balanced, and never overdrawn or broad. His voice throughout was pleasant to hear, penetrating, yet mellow, and his delineations were distinct and extremely well conceived. He certainly won laurels for himself, for hearty applause marked all of his readings. That Mr. Riddle was appreciative of the splendid support given him by Mr. Paur was evidenced by the cordial manner in which he shook the latter's hand at the conclusion of the evening's entertainment.

The innovation of having a chorus on the stage to sing with the orchestra, also won popular approval. This chorus, consisting of some 50 or more women's voices, trained by Mr. James Stephen Martin, that past master in the art of chorus training, rendered their few numbers with admirable effect. They were in splendid ensemble, and not a harsh or raucous note obtruded itself in the liquid volume of sound. Two small solo parts were well sung by Miss Ruth Hay and Miss Katherine Ellis. Miss Ellis has a very high and lyric voice and sang with much ease and intelligence. Miss Hay is the well known soprano of the Church of the Ascension and did her solo work in her usual artistic style.

This concert, though unique in form, was undoubtedly one of the most pleasing ever given by the orchestra, and despite the bad weather and a strong counter attraction—the Yale club's concert and complimentary hop at the Hotel Schenley, the audience was extremely large. More of these innovations, if they keep to last night's standard, will be welcome.

Last night's program book contained an insert leaflet, heavily bordered in black, on which appeared the words "Theodore Thomas, born at Hanover, Germany, October 11, 1835; died at Chicago, January 4, 1905."

The same program will be repeated at the same place, at 2:15 o'clock this afternoon.

SALES ENTERED IN THIS CITY

Failed Brokers Dealt in Thousands of Shares Not Recorded in Gotham.

BOOKS TO BE TAKEN EAST

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Jan. 6.

According to the testimony brought out in the hearing before Commissioner Alexander today, in the bankruptcy proceedings of Monroe & Monroe, as given by Cameron Spear, manager of the F. P. Ward brokerage firm, that concern up to November 21, dealt in thousands of shares of Boston & Montreal stock for Monroe & Monroe without any of the transactions being recorded in New York, but only entered in the books at the Pittsburgh offices of F. P. Ward & Co. It was also brought out that thousands of shares of stock changed hands at the price of $1 a share, when the price in the public market was $3 a share. Mr. Spear, it transpired, had an account with the firm of Monroe & Monroe, under the name of his sister, A. L. Spear, and he cannot explain by whom or when that account had been opened.

After the examination which lasted for one hour and a half Mr. Samuel Untermeyer, who represents the creditors, asked that the hearing be adjourned until 11 o'clock next Tuesday, to give Mr. Spear an opportunity to secure the books from the Pittsburgh office, which he promised to do. Mr. Spear was the first witness called, and from him Mr. Untermeyer elicited the fact that Mr. Ward had recently removed from Pittsburgh to New York, but when he asked the time of removal, Spear declined to answer, upon the advice of counsel.

The ledger and two journals of the firm of Ward & Co., beginning with the date of November 21, were produced by the witness. He explained that all transactions in Boston & Montreal prior to that date had been entered in the books in Pittsburgh.

"But the transactions prior to November 21, took place in New York, did they not?"

The witness, after a moment's hesitation, replied that they did, and then added, "but our books are kept in Pittsburgh."

Butler County Man Hurt.

John P. Robitzer, aged 60, a veteran of the civil war, slipped and fell on the icy pavement near the Baltimore & Ohio railroad station, Etna, last evening. His right ankle was broken. Mr. Robitzer lives at Mars station, Butler county, and was on his way home when the accident occurred. He was taken to the Allegheny General hospital.

Sharpsburg Man Hit by Train.

Henry Wyland, aged 45, a glass blower of 301 Twenty-first street, Sharpsburg, was struck by the Freeport accommodation near Nineteenth street, Sharpsburg, last evening. His right leg was broken in two places and he was bruised about the head and body.

Postmaster Wants Another Term.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Capt. C. M. Derrickson, postmaster at Monessen, was here today to see Representative Huff. He is a candidate for reappointment, and it is understood that he will get another term.

CLAIMS HALL CANNOT ENFORCE ORDINANCES

Pennsylvania Railroad Answers Suit of Pittsburgh Broker Concerning Switches.

Answer was made yesterday by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to the suit of Robert C. Hall, the Pittsburgh broker, concerning the right of the company to maintain switches in Third street and on Mr. Hall's property in Liberty avenue at Third street.

The demurrer states the bill seeks on the part of a private property owner to enforce ordinances of the city. The claim is made that the plaintiff has not the standing in law to require the enforcement of the ordinances. The demurrer also states that the bill is multifarious, in that it seeks to embrace in one procedure four separate causes of action.

When Mr. Hall's counsel, William Kaufmann, was given the first hearing on his application for an injunction forbidding the continuance of the alleged trespass, this was refused, but the court ordered the Pennsylvania to make answer promptly. It is the claim of Mr. Hall that he will fight this case if necessary through to the supreme court, since the bill was filed the railroad company has removed a part of the switch which extends over the sidewalk from Liberty avenue to the Hall property.

One of the rumors in connection with the bill is that the railroad company does not intend, on the completion of its elevated line down Duquesne way, to remove all of the surface tracks in Liberty avenue. Those below Fifth street are to remain, it is claimed. Just how the ordinances granting the right to build the Duquesne way line and placed in the form of a contract involving the removal of the Liberty avenue tracks would be circumvented is not yet stated.

MOROCCO SULTAN BEATEN; HIS CASUALTIES 400

PARIS, Jan. 7.—A dispatch to the Havas news agency from Marnia, Morocco, reports another fight between the sultan's and the pretender's troops near Oudja. The dispatch says the sultan was defeated, his troops sustaining 400 casualties.

Two Children Injured Coasting.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—A sled on which two children were riding was struck by a big bobsled bearing eight negroes today. The two children were injured. Flora Williams, aged six, daughter of James Williams, had leg fractured and received internal injuries and concussion of the brain; may not recover. Walter Dague, aged 12, son of James Dague, rendered unconscious and badly bruised and cut about the head and body.

Taxpayers' League Answered.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The board of commissioners today filed a demurrer to the suit brought by the Taxpayers' league of Washington county. The league had brought quo warranto proceedings against the commissioners requiring them to show cause why road improvement contracts had not been let to the lowest bidders. In their demurrer the commissioners claim that Washington county is not made a party to the suit and that the prosecutors are uninterested persons.

Election Commissioners Arrested.

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—E. A. Henderson and the Rev. L. W. Sudduth, Democratic election commissioners at the Central City election, who refused to answer Judge Doolittle's mandamus yesterday and are alleged to have said he could "go to ——" were today held for trial tomorrow. The Rev. Sudduth is a prominent divine but a radical partisan. The result declared by these commissioners—the election of the Democratic ticket—will be contested in the courts.

MANY PETITIONS GO TO CONGRESS

Oakland Board of Trade Urges the Improvement of the Local Rivers.

PROTEST FROM TOBACCO MEN

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 58, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 6.

Among about 100 petitions and memorials introduced today by Senator Knox of Pittsburgh, was one from the Oakland board of trade of Pittsburgh urging upon congress the importance of improving the Monongahela and the canalization of the Ohio river on a nine-foot basis.

Senator Knox also presented several written to him from manufacturers who are interested in the railway appliance exhibition which takes place in Washington from May 2 to 13. They ask that congress grant the exhibition the right of using what is known as the White Mall near the Washington monument. Remonstrances from the flour manufacturers of Pennsylvania against the reduction of tariff on tobacco imported from the Philippines and against the repeal of the oleomargarine law from several hundred dairymen were also filed by Senator Knox.

Representative Acheson presented a petition from the Pennsylvania dairy union favoring the establishment of agricultural experiment stations.

A petition was presented today by Congressman H. K. Porter asking that the proposed reduction of the tariff on tobacco from the Philippines be not made, and one from the Carriage Builders' National association requesting that congress increase the power of the interstate commerce commission.

Representative Hunt of Pennsylvania presented to the house a resolution of the Young People's society of the Reformed Presbyterian church of Parnassus calling upon congress to take steps toward bringing about universal peace by arbitration.

Former State Representative James H. Huling of Charlestown, W. Va., who is a candidate for collector of internal revenue at Charlestown, is in the city. Today he saw both of the West Virginia senators in the interest of his candidacy.

Representative Weems of Ohio today recommended Levi Jenkins for the postmastership of Sharpsville, and F. C. Wehr for the same position at Callao, Monroe county, O. L. W. STEAYER.

Pittsburghers at the Assembly.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Amid brilliant surroundings the first of this season's assemblies was given this evening at the Bellevue-Stratford. The cotillion began was led by C. Arthur Hare. Among the out-of-town guests were G. J. Geer and Charles Hanford of Pittsburgh.

Negro at Least 100 Dies.

MEADVILLE, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—James Jackson, a negro, the oldest man in Northwestern Pennsylvania died at the county infirmary, near Conneaut, last night. His age is not exactly known but he was at least 100. He had lived here all his life and was a bachelor.

Fund for Dead Strikers' Wives.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The fund raised by the committee of the Amalgamated association for the widows of P. J. McLaughlin and Thomas Conley, shot by Fred Wolfe, amounts to $1,400.

KAUFMANN'S
"THE BIG STORE"

Wear rubbers

FIRST slush of the season yesterday afternoon. There'll be more. 'Tis "Rubber vs. wet feet." We have rubbers for men, women and children—the best values.

Special—Men's buckle arctics, warm-lined, every size, reduced from $1.35 to 1.00.

PUT RINGING EMPHASIS ON THE LITTLE WORD "ALL"

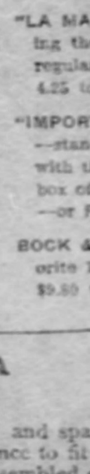
WHEN WE SAY "ALL OUR MEN'S CLOTHING (FULL DRESS SUITS AND LIVERIES EXCEPTED) AT 30 PER CENT OFF" it means thousands upon thousands of the swellest and most fashionable Winter Overcoats in all the prevailing lengths—it means thousands upon thousands of warm, stylish Winter Suits, every one in strict accord with the latest fashion plates—it means thousands upon thousands of shapely trousers, correct in cut and faultless in fabric—it means every Fancy Vest on our men's clothing floor—it means hundreds of tables spread over the superbly lighted half acre of floor-space, all piled high with matchless men's attire, so classified, assorted and ticketed that in a trice the courteous and zealous salesman in charge can spread before you for examination and comparison so many garments that will captivate your fancy, fit your form and meet the requirements of your pocketbook that there'll be no necessity to compromise with your desires and make the best of something "that will do."

A long sentence—but it tells the plain, simple story of what you'll actually find at "The Big Store."

If you're planning to come here don't be diverted from your purpose by the illusions and delusions of bigger percentages. See what we have first and then look about all you like. You'll come back all right.

	Marked Price	We Take	You Save
Men's overcoats,	$50	$35.00	$15.00
Men's overcoats,	30	21.00	9.00
Men's overcoats,	20	14.00	6.00
Men's overcoats,	15	10.50	4.50
Men's overcoats,	12	8.40	3.60
Men's overcoats,	10	7.00	3.00
Men's overcoats,	8	5.60	2.40
Men's overcoats,	6	4.20	1.80

	Marked Price	We Take	You Save
Men's winter suits,	$35	$24.50	$10.50
Men's winter suits,	25	17.50	7.50
Men's winter suits,	20	14.00	6.00
Men's winter suits,	15	10.50	4.50
Men's winter suits,	10	7.00	3.00
Men's winter suits,	6	4.20	1.80
Men's trousers,	5	3.50	1.50
Men's trousers,	4	2.80	1.20



Have a Smoke

OUR contribution to Pittsburgh smoke today will be a popular one—an

UNRIVALED SATURDAY CIGAR SALE

To win in a month for our new cigar and tobacco department (just inside the new Fifth avenue entrance) the prestige and volume of trade which most cigar stores attain only by years of cultivation, we name the following prices for today only on the

Brands you know:

"PRIMO CARTEL PURITANO" Key West Cigars: box of 50; $4.50 regularly; Today's Price... 2.45

"JAPAN CREST" CIGARS, recognized as uniformly good; box of 50; $3 regularly; Today's Price... 2.00

"FLORA DE SAVOY," the largest little cigar; guaranteed Havana filled — sold everywhere in boxes of 100 for $1.50; Today's Price... 99c

"LA MATRIMONIO" Key West, containing the finest Havana tobacco grown; regular 15c size; box of 50 for 4.25 today—or, each... 9c

"IMPORTED CAROLINA PERFECTOS"—standard 25c cigars in high favor with the most discriminating smokers; box of 25 cut to $5 today—or Five Cigars for... 1.00

BOCK & CO.'S "RECIPROCITY"—a favorite 15c cigar; box of 100 for $9.80 today—One for... 10c

Shoe news YOU should read

IF you're at all interested in "stretching" your pocketbook, and most everybody is, right after Christmas. Two of the items tell of shoes for men at reduced prices—two for women—and one for the boy—not specially bought "sale" shoes, but our own regular lines considerably lowered in price.

Men's $3 "Cornell" shoes, 2.25—our Cornell shoes are known to thousands of men as the best $3 shoe made. Today you can choose from our entire line—any style, last or leather—any size or width, at 2.25 pair.

Women's $3.50 water-proof shoes, 2.10—these are those English enamel lace shoes with mat kid top—the ideal shoe for street wear. They have heavy double soles with full extension edges.

Boys' $2.50 shoes, 1.90—also youths' sizes—heavy box calf bluchers with heavy oak soles; genuine Goodyear welt sewed — you save 60c on every pair at 1.90.

Women's $2.50 "Princess" shoes, 1.75—both lace and button styles, in fine vici kid and box calf with dull calf top; military heels—all sizes and widths.

BOYS' CLOTHES PICNIC "HALF-OFF" A HAPPY HIT

THE standard of dress in Pittsburgh will be raised by this sale—so far as the boys just verging young manhood are concerned. What a boon such prices as these to boys who are helping to pay for their own clothes.

1.95 buys youths' suits and overcoats marked $ 3.90.
2.50 buys youths' suits and overcoats marked $ 5.00.
3.25 buys youths' suits and overcoats marked $ 6.50.
3.75 buys youths' suits and overcoats marked $ 7.50.
4.25 buys youths' suits and overcoats marked $ 8.50.
5.00 buys youths' suits and overcoats marked $10.00.
6.00 buys youths' suits and overcoats marked $12.00.
7.50 buys youths' suits, rain and overcoats marked $15.00.
10.00 buys youths' suits, rain and overcoats marked $20.00.

MOTHERS whose boys do not look as spick and span as they should will hail with delight this happy chance to fit them out at half usual cost. All these half-off garments assembled on special tables, so you can make quick selections.

1.00 buys boys' suits and overcoats marked $ 2.00.
1.50 buys boys' suits and overcoats marked $ 3.00.
1.95 buys boys' suits and overcoats marked $ 3.90.
2.50 buys boys' suits and overcoats marked $ 5.00.
3.00 buys boys' suits and overcoats marked $ 6.00.
3.50 buys boys' suits and overcoats marked $ 7.00.
4.00 buys boys' suits and overcoats marked $ 8.00.
5.00 buys boys' suits and overcoats marked $10.00.
6.00 buys boys' suits and overcoats marked $12.00.

YOUNG MEN'S TROUSERS—A lot of young men's $4, $5 and $6 —long trousers in sizes 28 to 33—your choice for... 1.95

BOYS' KNEE PANTS—Regular 50c Pants in heavy dark woolen materials or in corduroy... 25c

BOYS' DRESS PANTS—Boys' fine all-wool Dress Pants —elegantly made, former prices 75c and $1.00, for... 48c

A SERVICE OF LOVE,
By O. HENRY, AN INTERESTING FEATURE OF
NEXT SUNDAY'S GAZETTE

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

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PROGNOSTIC FOR YEAR 2005,
By JULIA WARD HOWE, IN
THE NEXT SUNDAY GAZETTE

PITTSBURGH SEVEN BEATEN IN AN EXCITING GAME

PITTSBURGH LOSES OPENING CONTEST

Calumet Shoots Six Goals to the Locals Four—Sixsmith Does Well at Center.

ROBERTS AND STRIKE FIGHT

Hod Stuart, with his fast Calumet seven, aspirants for the hockey championship, opened a three-game series last night at Duquesne garden and won an exciting contest from the Pittsburgh team, 6 to 4.

Stuart's crowd gathered in four goals in the opening session, while Pittsburgh negotiated two. Calumet has not been defeated this season, meeting the best in the league, and last night it displayed championship hockey. Any other brand would have caused its defeat, as Pittsburgh was represented on the ice with a formidable array.

Arthur Sixsmith, the old Victoria leader, was at center for the locals and he played a dashing game, shooting three of the Pittsburgh goals. Sixsmith was the last player on the ice and he was given an enthusiastic greeting by his friends. Towards the close of the first half the crowd was in an uproar, as he shot two goals in quick succession.

Duval was at his old position at cover point and he played the kind of a game that has earned him the reputation of being one of the leading players at the position in the country. Winchester, the new goal keeper, did well. Winchester is also a baseball player, having played the game in Toronto.

Last night when he thought he could not very well ward off the shots with his stick he got on his haunches and caught the puck just as a baseball player does in taking in a low throw.

McMillian Is Injured.

The Calumet forwards are fast, and they frequently brought the rubber up the ice with pretty formations, but the Pittsburgh defense men would break up their plays. Sixsmith was always with the rubber in rushing it along or on following back. Hod Stuart three times made runs through the Pittsburgh field, taking the puck the length of the ice.

Early in the game "Reddy" McMillian, the Calumet point, had a toe almost cut off and he was forced to leave the contest.

The mishap happened in a close scrimmage and one of the players skated into his foot. Farlee, who took his place, played a creditable game.

Referee Jack was compelled to hand out bench sentences for tripping. Eddie Roberts and Strike, however, furnished the most enliving feature of the night.

They were fighting for possession of the puck near the side lines when Roberts suddenly punched Strike in the face. Roberts drove in another and Strike fell to his knees as though taking the count. The crowd yelled and Referee Jack very majestically began to count off Robert's time to the bench. Each upward movement of his right arm meant one minute and he did this act five times. The arm went up three times for Strike, presumably to keep Robehts company on the bench.

Goals Are Shot.

McMillian opened the game with a run the length of the ice, but his shot was blocked and Roberts came back with the rubber. Sixsmith took the puck in the middle of the ice and got into the Calmet defense and close to the net where he passed to Campbell. Campbell was a disappointment, as he shot over the cage, and a goal was lost. At this stage McMillian retired. Gardner later went up the field with the puck and in a scrimmage passed to Mallin, who shot into the cage for the first goal.

Stuart started down the field, but Duval stopped him and Strike took the puck and passed to Gardner, who shot the second goal.

On a face off after a offside pass near the Pittsburgh cage Strike got the rubber and shot the third goal. Stuart went the length of the ice with the puck and passed to Mallin for the fourth goal.

Everything was coming Calumet's way in the scoring line. Campbell started the current in the Pittsburgh favor by dashing up the ice and taking a shot, but failed to connect. Sixsmith, however, was right on the puck and shot goal.

Black figured in the second goal, by shooting in the direction of the cage, but Sixsmith was again at the right spot and made the count 4 to 2.

Duvall was injured at the start of the second half and for several minutes he was in the dressing room being fixed up. Mallin and Stuart traveled up the ice and Stuart shot goal. Scott followed this with one from a scrimmage.

Locals Twice Score.

Spittal went to the Calumet net where Sixsmith passed to Black for goal. Roberts passed to Sixsmith in a scrimmage for the fourth goal. The lineup:

Calumet—6.	Pittsburgh—4.
Nicholson	Goal	Winchester
McMillian, Farlee	Point	Spittal
Stuart	Cover Point	Duval
Mallin	Forward	Campbell
Strike	Center	Sixsmith
Scott	Right Wing	Black
Gardner	Left Wing	Roberts

Goals, first half—Mallin 2, Strike, Gardner, Sixsmith 2; second half, Stuart, Scott, Sixsmith. Black. Referee—Jack. Time—20 minute halves.

JOCKEY WAS KILLED.

Was Riding in Derby Scene and His Horse Stumbled.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—At the coliseum, the largest music hall in London, and which was opened a fortnight ago, a vivid representation of the Derby is produced by a revolving stage. Tonight Jockey Dent, riding the outside horse, attempted to pull across, but his horse stumbled on the ironwork surrounding the revolving platform, and rolled over the proscenium into the orchestra beneath. Dent was thrown violently on his head, and was taken to a hospital unconscious, where he died soon afterward.

Another fatal accident occurred at the coliseum during a rehearsal for the same play.

AMONG THE PASSERS.

The Newman Reserves will play the Washington A. C. team tonight.

The Fowlers of the Manchester league have now won five straight league games.

The Great Eastern five goes to Morgantown tonight to play the West Virginia university team.

The Union club desires games with all strong out-of-town teams. Address W. I. Conway, 307 Union station, city.

The Union club of Pittsburgh will play the A. A. A. team at Cyclorama hall tonight as a preliminary to the W. U. P.-C. V. B. game.

The crack Olympia team of McKeesport will be the attraction next Monday night at Manchester. This will be the third game of the series.

One of the largest crowds of the season is expected at Manchester next Monday night when the lower Allegheny team lines up against the fast McKeesporters.

The Buhl team of Sharon will play the South Side five tonight on the South Side. De France and Lock, two stars of last year's Grove City College team, are with Sharon.

The Newman third team would like to hear from some fast teams for Tuesdays and Saturdays. Address manager Newman third basketball team, Newman Institute, Homewood.

Oakdale A. C. will line up against the Columbia Council A. A. Monday evening. Oakdale would like to arrange games with teams having halls. Address Frank M. Pedicord, Oakdale, Pa.

The little leagues at Manchester are attracting better crowds every game. The small boys are becoming better acquainted with the game right along and are now playing as good games as some of the bigger teams.

The S. S. Turners will journey to Wilmerding tonight to play the fast team of that place. Both teams are about evenly matched and a hot game is looked for, as this is the Turners first game away from home.

The Tom Thumbs of the Raleigh league have won two and lost one in the championship series. With Capt. Kunkle back in the game they expect to go through the remaining games on the schedule without a defeat.

The clerks of the order department of the Crucible Steel Company have organized a team and would like to hear from the following teams: Allegheny Lyceum Juniors, Manchester Juniors, South Side Juniors, Apollo High school, Newman Reserves. Address Gus Vogel, care of Crucible Steel Company, Box 75, Pittsburgh.

This evening on the Foster floor the Armory five will play the Fosters. As a preliminary the Foster Juniors will meet the fast Leithends from the South Side. The first game will begin promptly at 8 o'clock. A few dates still remain open on the first team's schedule, and the best open can be accommodated by writing to F. J. Dougan, 143 Fortieth street, city.

Something Interesting
will appear Sunday in the classified section of The Sunday Gazette.

JACK HARMER.
Cover point on the Pittsburgh High school hockey team.

WILKINSBURG EXPECTS TO WIN FROM SHADYSIDE

Crack Football Players Are Leaving Wisconsin—Record of George Brooks, Penn's New Coach.

Wilkinsburg High school will have its full strength on the ice this afternoon prepared to give the champion Shadyside seven a set back. Shadyside will be handicapped by the absence of Harry Patterson. Dick Mueller has a bad shoulder, which will probably necessitate his warming the bench. Charles Reisfar of High school and Worcester of the Allepheny Preps will be the goal judges.

Four members of the University of Wisconsin football team, all eligible to play next season, have left the university, and unless brought back soon will fall behind so that it will be impossible for them to play football next fall. Grogan, Donovan, Kinney and Stromquist have gone, and it is understood that none of them expects to return.

That is what is happening at Madison while the athletic authorities are wondering how they will adjust the managerial and coaching problems of the Badger school, and the same situation exists in all departments of athletics. The best material is dropping out of school. Much of this resulted from the recent agitation by the university paper against the passing out of capital positions and easy places to the athletes.

George Brook, Penn's new coach, played at Pennsylvania in 1893, 1894 and 1895. During the last two years the Quakers were the champions. He was not eligible in 1896, as he had played a year at Swarthmore prior to entering Pennsylvania. The four-year rule was formed that season—principally to cut out Brooks and Williams, who also had played elsewhere before entering Pennsylvania.

Since graduating from Pennsylvania Brooks has been a close follower of the college sport, and as a coach or player has been active in his work every season. In 1896 he played on the D. C. and A. C. team. In 1897 he coached the University of California eleven and defeated Leland Stanford for the first time. In 1898 and 1899 he again played on the Duquesne eleven, and since that time has been coaching at Swarthmore.

Brooks, by many experts, is considered the best fullback that ever donned football togs. His strongholds were kicking and running back punts. His records of field goals are phenomenal, and it is said that he never "muffed" a punt in the back field.

ALLEGHENY BEATS YALE.

Meadville Institution Team Won at Basketball by Score of 18 to 16.

MEADVILLE, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Allegheny college defeated Yale university at basketball here tonight by a score of 18 to 16. Allegheny outplayed Yale at all points of the game except, perhaps, in goal throwing. Lineup:

Allegheny—18.	Yale—16.
Russell	Forward	Anderson
Hewitt	Forward	Kinney
Comfort	Center	Hyatt
Lewis	Guard	Ortmeyer
McArthur	Guard	Church

Goals—Russell, Comfort 3, McArthur 4, Kinney 5, Hyatt 2, Church 2. From fouls—McArthur 2, Hyatt 2. Umpire—Mayo.

ALL COLLEGIANS BEATEN.

Wilmerding Y. M. C. A. Wins from Westminster Players, 29 to 17.

The Wilmerding Y. M. C. A. team defeated the All-Collegians of Westminster college, New Wilmington, in the Wilmerding Y. M. C. A. hall last night, 29 to 17. The features were the team play of Mason, Graham and Mitchell. They did all the scoring for Y. M. C. A. Beavers did the best work for the visitors, having five field goals. Last Friday night the All-Collegians beat Wilmerding, and last night the largest crowd of the season turned out with a brass band, and all kinds of musical and noise-producing instruments to root for the home team. Lineup:

Wilmerding—29.	All-Collegians—17.
Mason	Forward	Beevers
Graham	Forward	Lambie
Mitchell	Center	Marks
Hilliard	Guard	Patterson
Roth	Guard	McClain

Field goals—Mason 9, Graham 3, Roth, Beevers 5, Lambie, Marks, McClain. Foul goals—Mitchell 3, Beevers. Substitutes—Rupert for Lambie, White for Roth. Referee—Wood. Umpire—Ainsworth.

In the preliminary the Wilmerding Y. M. C. A. second team defeated the Wilkinsburg A. C. team 22 to 2. Jones and Hilliard of Wilmerding played fast ball, scoring all the points for their team.

Johnstown Loses First Game.

ALTOONA, PA., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The Altoona team tonight won the first of a series of five games between them and Johnstown for the championship of central Pennsylvania, the score being 35 to 27. The lineup:

Altoona—35.	Johnstown—27.
Hargraves	Forward	Estep
Gamble	Forward	J. Lindsey
McNevin	Center	Bowen
Holmberg	Guard	Vell
Tomlinson	Guard	G. Lindsey

Substitutes—Roth for McNevin, Zimmers for Tomlinson, Hager for Vell. Goals from field—Hargraves 1, Gamble 2, McNevin 7, Holmberg 5, Roth 2, Estep 4, J. Lindsey 1, Bowen 1, D. Lindsey 2, Hager 3. Goals from foul—McNevin 1, Estep 2. Twenty-minute halves. Referee—Gardner.

Pittsburgh Boxers Will Be Busy.

Two good boxing matches are to take place tonight in which Pittsburgh boxers are to take part. Jack McClelland will meet Jimmy Reeder near Johnstown for 10 rounds, and a fast go can be looked for. Manager Mason will go with the party as far as Johnstown, where he will leave them and continue on to Altoona, where Charley Knox is to meet Billy Yearall. Harry Mellon and several other Pittsburgh parties will go along to see the contest.

Youngstown Badly Beaten.

EAST LIVERPOOL, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—East Liverpool had an easy time with the Youngstown five tonight. Score:

East Liverpool—82.	Youngstown—23.
Allison	Forward	Ozersky
Bloor	Forward	Young
Rigby	Center	McClain
Watkin	Guard	Warner
Chadwick, Davidson	Guard	Jenkins

Goals—Allison 12, Bloor 4, Rigby 12, Chadwick 7, Davidson 6, Watkin, Young 4, Ozersky 2, Warner, Jenkins. Fouls—Allison 5, Young 7.

Altoona Signs Pitcher.

ALTOONA, PA., Jan. 6.—The Altoona baseball management today received the signed contract of Pitcher W. McNeeley, last year with the Colorado Springs team. McNeeley ranked third among the pitchers of the league in which he played last season, and has a reputation of being a good batter and a good sprinter. The Altoona management has 60 applications for positions on next season's team.

Johnstown Loses First Game.

ALTOONA, PA., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The Altoona team tonight won the first of a series of five games between them and Johnstown for the championship of central Pennsylvania, the score being 35 to 27. The lineup:

Altoona—35.	Johnstown—27.
Hargraves	Forward	Estep
Gamble	Forward	J. Lindsey
McNevin	Center	Bowen
Holmberg	Guard	Vell
Tomlinson	Guard	G. Lindsey

Substitutes—Roth for McNevin, Zimmers for Tomlinson, Hager for Vell. Goals from field—Hargraves 1, Gamble 2, McNevin 7, Holmberg 5, Roth 2, Estep 4, J. Lindsey 1, Bowen 1, D. Lindsey 2, Hager 3. Goals from foul—McNevin 1, Estep 2. Twenty-minute halves. Referee—Gardner.

HARRIS STILL HOLDS TITLE

Defeated Adam Hahn for Challenge Cup and Championship by Fine Bowling.

MANY LEAGUE CONTESTS

H. Harris and Adam Hahn met in a six-game match last night for the Neil's challenge cup and the championship of Western Pennsylvania. Three games were rolled on the Fifth avenue alleys and three games on Federal alleys. A Hahn started out like a sure winner, but he fell by the wayside when the champion of Western Pennsylvania got his ball working. H. Harris is ready to meet all comers claiming championship honors. The games were as follows:

Harris	170	177	192	171	224	180—1,114
Hahn	177	177	154	154	129	132— 923

Average—Harris, 185 4-6; Hahn, 153 5-6.

But one County league game was bowled last night, and that was between the Troy Hill and Glenwood teams on the Glenwood alleys. The Troy Hill bowlers were in fine form and won all three of the games. Scores:

Troy Hill—				
C. C. Vey	161	159	175	
F. Stehle	149	192	147	
T. Kezzuler	161	190	188	
C. Decore	209	178	142	
C. Ellis	178	174	195	
Totals	858	873	848	
Glenwood—				
F. Atkin	148	160	150	
Hayward	159	161	162	
Colling	108	145	181	
Rinehart	118	...	...	
Hopkins	...	161	122	
McCarroll	167	198	188	
Totals	760	829	762	

In the City league the Rough Riders and Castle 211 teams met on the Wylie avenue alleys and the Rough Riders were the victors in two games, Marshall having high score of 226. Scores:

Rough Riders—				
Crymble	188	193	138	
Herd	159	203	160	
Marshall	158	204	126	
Petty	182	226	167	
Lee	166	169	170	
Totals	853	995	761	
Castle 211—				
Shanen	182	156	148	
Raab	170	140	188	
W. Best	157	109	167	
Spratt	112	...	135	
Vogel	...	...	167	
H. Best	208	157	160	
Totals	829	780	705	

The St. Aloysius team of the Diocesan league had little trouble taking all three games from the St. Anthony team. Schuler of St. Aloysius was high score, with 204. Scores:

St. Aloysius—			
Schuler	187	204	187
Relholtz	182	199	174
Kirk	150	131	189
Knoll	151	180	180
Snelhauer	167	147	165
Totals	807	887	867
St. Anthony—			
H. Feldt	170	193	161
L. Schwab	143	188	167
A. Hagepe	150	116	...
J. Feldt	...	...	147
L. Ebner	179	153	161
F. Feldt	149	130	163
Totals	791	778	799

St. Charles team of the Diocesan league won all three games from the St. Vincent team. Scores:

St. Vincent—			
Hertz	127	150	139
Hogenmilk	126	187	176
W. Paulin	105	...	129
J. Laur	107	138	160
A. Stock	150	118	...
F. Paulin	...	148	187
Totals	615	680	734
St. Charles—			
Joseph Gillig	191	147	156
P. Holler	145	142	139
A. Holler	208	147	183
J. Voll	125	161	161
C. Paff	158	124	120
Totals	822	721	739

In the series of games between the Bellevue and Brighton clubs, the first-named won two out of three games on the Brighton alleys last night. Scores:

Bellevue—			
Church	147	129	...
Sinseral	...	...	121
R. Cooper	190	121	165
McIntosh	133	152	157
Tipper	210	192	100
J. Cooper	156	138	174
Totals	816	723	727
Brighton—			
Harris	123	149	166
James	191	167	110
Ballard	126	158	101
Miller	146	126	184
Ralston	139	167	149
Totals	725	764	661

LIVELY BOXING BOUTS.

Local Artists Furnish Sport at Lawrenceville Smoker.

A number of good boxing bouts were given at the smoker given last night at Hanna's hall by the Lawrenceville A. C., and the auditorium was packed to the doors. In the main bout of the evening Evan Lloyd of Lawrenceville, and Jimmy Frazier of Homewood, put up six fast rounds of fighting.

The following bouts of four rounds each were also very interesting: Joe Quinn and Henry Gibson; "Kid" Decker and Harold McIsaacs; "Kid" Cox and Bart Conley; the McCall brothers, and Mike Mullck and "Bob" Pollard. The latter was a fierce slugging match and though Mullck outweighed Pollard considerably, Pollard put up a good fight and honors were about even.

Freedom Defeated Sewickley.

The Freedom Juniors defeated the Sewickley Reserves last night at Sewickley. Lineup:

Sewickley—27.	Freedom—34.
Gray	Forward	Brandt
Miller	Forward	Pearson
Carroll	Center	Jackson
Douglass	Guard	McGill
Neely	Guard	Mails

Goals from field—Miller 5, Carroll 8, Gray 1, Douglass 1, Neely 3, Brandt 7, Pearson 1, Jackson 6, McGill 2. Goals from foul—Brandt 2, Miller 1. Referee—McPherson.

Pittsburgh Wants Bowling Congress.

DAYTON, O., Jan. 6.—Samuel Karpf, secretary of the American Bowling congress, is receiving many applications for membership. The meeting at Milwaukee next month promises to be well attended, and the national tournament will have an unusual number of participants. New York, Pittsburgh, Denver and Omaha are candidates for the national convention and tournament of 1906.

Cornell Student Dies from Injuries.

ITHACA, N. Y., Jan. 6.—Elmer Schmidt, Cornell, 1907, of Newark, N. J., died here today as a result of injuries received several weeks ago in the gymnasium. He was attempting a difficult feat on the horizontal bar when he fell, striking on his head, sustaining a fracture, which caused temporary paralysis. Later he developed pneumonia.

Date Fixed for the Fight.

SHARON, PA., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—The date for the coming 12 round fight between Cy Flynn of Buffalo, N. Y., and Mike Donovan of Rochester, N. Y., has been fixed for January 17. The contest will be given under the auspices of the Nonpareil Athletic club in the Broadway theater. The men will meet at 145 pounds, weighing on the afternoon of the fight.

YELLOW FEVER IN CUBA.

Man Dies Who Arrived from Panama. Two Women Not Expected to Live.

HAVANA, Jan. 6.—(Copyright Cable.)—The steamer Dora from Lima to Vera Cruz, via Colon, arrived in Havana January 4 with 800 passengers on board, 200 for Cuba, and no physician. One man and two women were sick. The Cuban passengers were quarantined, the sick being transferred in mosquito proof ambulances to a mosquito proof yellow fever hospital.

The man died yesterday, and a post-mortem proves he was afflicted with yellow fever. The women are not expected to live.

Cuban officials in the last three years have handled 25 imported cases of yellow fever without anyone else catching it.

TWO JOCKEYS SUSPENDED FOR SUSPICIOUS RIDING

The Steeplechase at Ascot Proved to Be a Sensational Affair—Bad Day for the Favorites.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 6.—The first race at Ascot proved the sensation of the day. It was a steeplechase, and as a result of the race two jockeys were indefinitely suspended for not returning and covering the course when told to do so. Flea appeared to be the winner at the last jump, when his jockey, Amos, fell off. The judges decided that Amos deliberately fell off, and suspended him indefinitely. Casador and Ed Lanigan both ran out of the course, but their riders turned around, came back, covered the course and eventually were given the first and second money. Valida fell, throwing his jockey, Sorr, a stable boy mounted him and rode him into third place. Favorites had a bad day of it. Summary:

First race, short course, steeplechase—Casador, 134, Tully, 9 to 5, won; Ed Lanigan, 150, Fulks, 15 to 1, second; Valida, 130, Russell, 6 to 1, third. Time, 5:11½.

Second race, 4½ furlongs—Father Catcham, 115, J. Booker, 9 to 5, won; Wee Girl, 110, Kent, 7 to 1, second; Dorothea Fry, 110, Smith, 12 to 1, third. Time, :52½.

Third race, mile and 70 yards—Ray, 102, Kent, 10 to 1, won; Position, 109, Dugan, 7 to 5, second; Jingler, 109, Toomah, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:47.

Fourth race, mile—Pacifico, 90, Perrine, 7 to 1, won; Eva G., 102, Fitzpatrick, 5 to 2, second; Ralph Young, 102, Smith, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:41.

Fifth race, 1¼ miles—Blissful, 98, E. McDaniel, 5 to 2, won; Diamante, 105, Treubel, 9 to 2, second; Club, 100, Toomau, 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:34.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Tim Hurst, 103, McDaniel, 3 to 1, won; Retador, 104, Treubel, 5 to 1, second; West Brookfield, 103, Lynch, 9 to 2, third. Time, 1:13.

BUT ONE FAVORITE BEATEN.

Bookies Had a Bad Day of It on New Orleans Track.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 6.—Midge, which barely finished in the money in the last race, was the only beaten favorite today. Summary:

First race, 6½ furlongs—Agnes Virginia, 99, Nicol, 8 to 1, won; Charlie Cella, 91, Aubuchon, 10 to 1, second; Mr. Jack, 94, J. Hennessy, 11 to 1, third. Time, 1:25 2-5.

Second race, 7 furlongs—Maritana, 125, J. Martin, 6 to 5, won; Merry Acrobat, 129, Schilling, 6 to 1, second; John Doyle, 125, Cheatham, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:32.

Third race, mile—Sig Lee, 93, Aubuchon, even, won; Lady Fones, 93, J. Hennessy, 4 to 1, second; Jungle Imp, 99, Nicol, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:44 4-5.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs, handicap—King's Trophy, 102, Nicol, 13 to 10, won; Sid Silver, 101, Romanelli, 60 to 1, second; Astarita, 106, Livingston, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:16 4-5.

Fifth race, 1¼ miles—Hymettus, 102, J. Hennessy, 3 to 2, won; Barkelmore, 99, C. Harris, 6 to 1, second; Lou Woods, 101, R. Johnson, 5 to 1, third. Time, 2:09.

Sixth race, mile—Red Ruler, 94, Olandt, 25 to 1, won; Corsucate, 109, H. Phillips, 3 to 5, second; Midge, 89, Aubuchon, 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:40.

DATES NAMED FOR DRILL.

Wash-Jeff Students Will Contest in Gymnastics in March.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Physical Instructor Dr. L. F. Kirchner announced today that the annual inter-class drill contest at Washington and Jefferson college would take place on Friday, March 17. This is the premier gymnastic athletic event of the year at the local institution, and great preparations for it are being made. A fencing contest will be held in connection with the drill.

Tommy Hughes, the star twirler of the Washington and Jefferson baseball team, announced today that he would not accept the numerous offers tendered him, but would remain with the local institution during the college season.

Clarence Timmons, the star guard on the Washington and Jefferson college football team, has received offers to pitch for the Evansville (Ind.) baseball team and the nine of Ravenna, O. He will leave college and accept one of the two offers.

CROKER IS MYSTIFIED.

Cannot Tell Why His Horses Were Barred at Newmarket.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Secretary Weatherby of the Jockey club declines to disguise the reasons for the action of the Jockey club in interdicting Richard Croker from training his horses on Newmarket Heath, pointing out that under the Jockey club rules it is not necessary for the stewards to give reasons for their actions.

Mr. Croker wired to the Associated Press from Dublin tonight as follows: "Haven't the slightest idea why the Jockey club barred my horses from Newmarket."

An Exciting Basketball Game.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—In the most exciting game of basketball ever played here the High school five defeated the Olympians tonight, 10 to 9. The game was closely contested throughout, the High school team winning in the last two minutes. The first half ended 5 to 4 in favor of the Olympians. High school by winning holds first place in the Association league. Lineup:

High School—10.	Olympians—9.
Jamison	Forward	Monger
Miller	Forward	Collner
Forsythe	Center	Hawking
Minton	Guard	Brownlee
Brush	Guard	Marriner

Goals from field—Collner, Hawking, Marriner, Miller 3. Goals from fouls—Marriner 5, Forsythe 3, Miller. Substitutions—Anderson for Minton, Reed for Brownlee. Referee—John Botsford. Umpire—Dr. A. E. Thompson. Time of halves—20 minutes.

Fighter's Jaw Was Broken.

Joe Alton, the local 120-pound boxer who has been doing so well of late, met with a serious accident last evening while out skating. He had his jaw broken and will be unable to do any more boxing for some time to come. A friend of Alton's came up behind and threw him in a playful manner and the jar broke his jaw bone.

Morgan and McGraw Will Meet.

At the smoker to be given by the City View club of Allegheny on the 10th the main bout will be between Frank Morgan and Harry McGraw. It will be a six-round affair, and should prove very fast. There will be a number of other bouts.

PITTSBURGH HIGH SCHOOL BEATEN BY ALUMNI FIVE

Former Players Get Together and Beat Present Team in Practice Game by 41 to 27.

The Pittsburgh High school five was defeated yesterday 41 to 27, by a team composed of members of the alumni. The first half opened with hardly any interest, but when the Alumni boys became warmed up and had become used to playing together the game grew fast and interesting.

The Alumni team took the lead early in the game and was never headed, but the schoolboys fought gamely all the way. The second half was fast, the Alumni showing superiority by running up a large score.

The playing of the whole Alumni team, especially that of Nickel, Orr and Bauer, was the feature. Henning, Lytle and Munroe put up the best game for High school.

The High school boys, by their good showing yesterday, demonstrated that they will make things interesting on Tuesday night, when they line up against C. L. A. at High school. Lineup:

Alumni—41.	High School—27.
Orr	Forward	Munroe
Bauer	Forward	Lytle
Nickel	Center	Neudorfer
Steen	Guard	Worrell
Fischer	Guard	Henning

Goals from field—Orr 3, Bauer 3, Nickel 8, Fischer 2, Steen 3, Munroe 2, Lytle, Worrell, Henning 6. Goals from foul—Orr 2, Nickel, Munroe 3, Lytle 3, Henning. Referee—Sheldon. Time of halves—Twenty minutes.

FIGHT FOR THE LEAD.

Railroad and Rambler Fives Will Do Battle Tonight.

The Railroad A. C. and Rambler A. C. basketball teams of the Manchester league will come together tonight in Raleigh hall, corner of Locust and Market streets, in a championship contest, and an exciting game is expected. The Railroaders are still in undisputed possession of first place, but they will need to win all their games from now on, as the Fowlers are pushing on right at their heels, having tied with the Manhattans last Wednesday night for second place. A preliminary to this game will be played by the Railroad Midgets and the Fayette Midgets of the Raleigh league. President Roth of the Manchester and Raleigh leagues announces that ladies will be admitted free to all the games in these two leagues, beginning with tonight. Following is the line-up for both games:

Railroad A. C.	Rambler A. C.
Stewart	Forward	Cornelius
Meizel	Forward	McMurry
McIntyre	Center	Gittens
Gross	Guard	Stehle
Kelley, Whitaker	Guard	Orr, Thompson

Railroad Midgets. Fayette Midgets.

Cornelius	Forward	Watson
Graham	Forward	Burns
Brophy	Center	Wyland
Copeland	Guard	Dunn
Waltmer, Cahoon	Guard	Buke, McNaughton

Referee—Don Stehle.

WHAT THE INDEPENDENT PLAYERS ARE DOING

It has been practically decided that Bill Schwartz, Cleveland's utility fielder, will go to Indianapolis and play under the management of Ed Barrows, the former Detroit manager. There have been many clubs after the Cleveland boy, including Minneapolis, Toronto and Seattle, but he will probably be released to Indianapolis. Schwartz played the greater part of last season with Akron.

Of last year's Youngstown team, Maloney, Thomas, Mack, Hanford and Austin will return to the Central league. Manny Harris will go to Rochester or Grand Rapids, Charley Starr will be taken by the St. Louis Browns, and Blount may be given a trial with the same team. Jack Dolan will likely sign with Little Rock. Armstrong will return to Marion.

Akron will lose Munson, who goes to Charleston in the South Atlantic league; Cappy Hausman, who goes to the Three I league; Eisman, Mang and Livingstone to Wheeling, and Lindsey to the Southern league. Bobby Spade, Smith and Bracken of Kent will go to Jacksonville, Fla., while First Baseman South of the same team will play with South Bend, Ind.

Doggie Griffith and Kemmer of Niles both have good offers for next year, but have not signed as yet.

Jimmy Lucas of Zanesville will try his luck with Wheeling and Tom Hollings, the first baseman, will go to Albany in the New York State league.

W. U. P. TO OPEN SEASON WITH HANS WAGNER'S TEAM

The Western University of Pennsylvania basketball team will open its season tonight at Cyclorama hall, Beech and Irwin avenues, Allegheny, with the strong C. V. B. five of Carnegie, headed by Hans Wagner. The collegians have been practicing hard, and Capt. Joe Thompson reports that they are all confident of carrying off the honors. Lineup:

W. U. P.	Carnegie.
Thompson, Rossbloom	F	H. Wagner
Edmundson, Marsh	F	Flaherty, Kurt
Cashdollar, Dickie	C	P. Frye, Lampe
Edgar, Mehl	G	Geisler
East, Perry	G	M. Frye

COLE SELECTED COACH.

Yost's Assistant Will Have Charge of the Virginia Eleven.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—W. C. Cole, assistant coach at Michigan during the past season, was tonight elected head coach of the University of Virginia football team. Cole was graduated from Marietta (Ohio) college, where he played three years. In 1902 he played tackle and halfback on the Michigan eleven.

"There is no better man to be had," says Yost. "He can play anywhere on the team, and his general knowledge of the game on every position makes him just the man for a successful coach."

New Leader for Yale Gymnastics.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Herr Volroth Tham, a graduate of the Royal Institute in Stockholm, Sweden, it is announced, will be head of the department of gymnastics in the Yale summer school, which will be opened next July. Herr Tham will come to America early in June to organize the department.

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PUT ON THE RACK BY CONGRESSMAN

Head of Shippers' Organization Declared a Falsifier at the Capitol.

MR. MANN CHARGED SLANDER

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 6.

There was an exciting colloquy between Representative Mann of Illinois and E. P. Bacon, the head of the organization of shippers that is agitating for increased powers for the interstate commerce commission, at today's meeting of the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce. Mr. Mann accused Mr. Bacon of having written that the members of the house committee were responsible for failure to get legislation. Mr. Bacon admitted that he had written it, but qualified his statement. He also told the committee that the Cooper-Quarles bill had been taken from the Elkins bill of last year and that it had been drawn by the counsel for the Pennsylvania railroad.

A hearing was being given to persons interested in the Cooper-Quarles bill. Mr. Bacon was first heard. From the moment he took the stand until he left it Mr. Bacon was subjected to scathing rebuke by Mr. Mann for certain statements made by him in a publication known as "Freight," as well as in public addresses. Mr. Mann quoted from a statement alleged to have been made by Mr. Bacon that owing to the opposition of the majority of the two committees of congress there was no possibility of legislation to further restrict the carriers.

Added Fuel to Flame.

"Do you think that was true?" inquired Mr. Mann.

Mr. Bacon answered that he believed it was true at the time.

"I know," angrily retorted Mr. Mann, "that was a libel and slander. I know it was false and I believe you knew it was false."

Mr. Bacon calmly replied that he did not want to be classed as a falsifier, which only served to further anger Mr. Mann, who said that people who write articles must be held responsible for what they write.

Again reading from the publication referred to, Mr. Mann said it was stated in Mr. Bacon's address before the St. Louis convention "that over three-fourths of the representatives in congress owed their presence there to the influence of the railroads," and he asked Mr. Bacon if the statement was his. Mr. Bacon answered that his remarks had been extemporaneous, but he had no recollection of making the statement.

"I believe," said Mr. Mann, "you thought any man in the country could go out and libel any member of congress. It fortunately is true that people generally pay no attention to such statements."

Mr. Bacon insisted he never made the statement, but admitted saying that four of the members of the house committee had declared they would permit no action on the part of the committee on any bill until definite action was taken upon the Cooper-Quarles bill.

Would Not Give Names.

"We want to ascertain who those four men are," demanded Mr. Mann.

The witness, however, refused to answer, saying it would not be proper for him to name them.

Mr. Shackelford of Michigan then indignantly inquired, "I ask you, sir, if Mr. Hepburn was one of them?"

"No, sir," was the reply.

"You went over the Elkins bill," said Mr. Mann, "and because the committee won't follow you fast enough you say we are under the influence of the railways."

Mr. Bacon denied making the statement and added that he had kept back certain elements and interests in regard to the proposed legislation. The witness admitted that after the revised Elkins bill was agreed upon he had endeavored to have it become law.

Mr. Mann then spoke of a banquet given at the Union League club in Chicago at which he said an attempt was made to influence him in favor of the Elkins bill. "I laughed at them," said Mr. Mann, "when they read the pooling clause of that bill, and said it had as much chance as a snowflake in hades."

Mr. Bacon was closely questioned by Mr. Mann as to the authorship of several bills to restrict the carriers, and said that the solicitor of the Pennsylvania railroad did not draw the Nelson bills, but he did draw the Elkins bill, and that the Cooper-Quarles bill was framed along the lines of the latter.

LEMARE'S OWN WORKS.

City Organist Will Play Nothing but His Own Compositions Tonight.

City Organist Edwin H. Lemare will give the 710th and 711th in the series of free organ recitals at the Pittsburgh Carnegie music hall this evening and tomorrow afternoon. These recitals will be the last set but three that Mr. Lemare will give in Pittsburgh, his resignation taking effect the last Sunday in January. Mr. Lemare has made this evening's program entirely from his own compositions. The seven numbers he is to play cover a wide range in composition and show Mr. Lemare's individuality of thought and musicianship in their true light.

As an organ composer Mr. Lemare is as renowned in two countries as he is as a player. No published organ music has wider popularity among all classes of professional organists and amateurs. The notable numbers of tonight's program are perhaps the F major Concert Fantasie in four movements and the selections from the G minor symphony, a work which has brought Mr. Lemare the highest commendations from the critics of England and this country. The list in full follows:

1. Fantasie Fugue.
2. Meditation in D flat.
3. (a) Caprice Orientale.
   (b) Pastorale in E.
4. Concert Fantasia in F Major; four movements.
5. Andantino in D flat, No. 1.
7. (a) Adagio.
   (b) Scherzo.

(From organ Symphony in G Minor, Opus 84.)

NEEDS FOR TUBE SERVICE.

Commission Concluded Investigation of Pneumatic Transit for Postal Service.

The commission investigating postal conditions in this vicinity with a view to establish the pneumatic tube service, yesterday went over the proposed routes. Accompanied by representatives of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association, the commission visited the Allegheny postoffice, and some of the members said it looked as if a tube ought to be laid between the Allegheny and Pittsburgh postoffices.

The East Liberty sub-station was next visited and inspected, and the rest of the afternoon was spent by the commission in interviewing business men, to learn their views concerning the pneumatic tube service. The commission will return to Washington today.

INVADED BOYER'S HOME AND STOLE HIS REVOLVER

Emanuel Boyer, night watchman at the Union Switch and Signal Works, Swissvale, returning to his home early yesterday morning for his lunch, surprised a negro in the kitchen of his house at 7442 McClure avenue, Swissvale. Boyer had left his revolver in a cupboard in the kitchen and could offer no resistance to the intruder, who covered him with a revolver and made his escape, taking with him Boyer's revolver and a quantity of preserves.

Three Men Sustain Fractures.

Three men were taken to the McKeesport hospital yesterday suffering from fractured arms or legs received while at work in various mills in the city. Arthur Friedhofer of Port Vue, employed at the National tube works, fell and received a double fracture of the left arm. John Sherman of 1115 Jerome street, received a compound fracture of the left leg at the Monongahela furnaces. Frank Sering, aged 18, sustained a fracture of the right leg in the Demmler plant of the United States Tin Plate Company.

Something Interesting
will appear Sunday in the classified section of The Sunday Gazette.

SOCIETY

A SMART little entertainment yesterday was the bridge party at which Mrs. Henry Graham Brown was hostess in honor of her mother, Mrs. J. J. Pugsley of Hillsboro, O. Both Mr. and Mrs. Pugsley expect to be with their son-in-law and daughter for several weeks. Mrs. Brown entertained at her beautiful home in Forbes street yesterday afternoon, with enough guests present to call five tables into play. There were simple decorations throughout the various rooms and at the close of the games dainty prizes were awarded. The guest list included Mrs. Pugsley, Mrs. Harry Darlington, Mrs. William J. Holland, Mrs. Louis W. Dalzell, Mrs. Henry Holdship King, Mrs. Cyrus B. King, Mrs. James McCrea, Mrs. Albert H. Childs, Mrs. John Z. Speer, Mrs. James M. Schoonmaker, Mrs. Benjamin Thaw, Miss Garrison, Mrs. Winfield Kennedy Shiras, Mrs. Starling Winston Childs, Mrs. Frederick G. Kay and Mrs. Charles Telfair. Mrs. Starling Childs and Mrs. Kay presided at the tea table.

Entertaining Baltimore Visitor.

Mrs. W. S. Belding of Baltimore arrived in Pittsburgh yesterday to be the guest of Mrs. George S. Abraham and Mrs. Edgar McCormack Balsinger of Forbes street for some time. Mrs. Balsinger gave a luncheon for her guest, with Miss Hattie Johnson of Cleveland, the guest of Mrs. H. J. Lawrence of Ellsworth avenue, sharing the honors. In addition to Mrs. Belding and Miss Johnson the guests included Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. Abraham, Miss Elizabeth Hanna, Mrs. John Albert Aull, Mrs. John H. Lindsay, Mrs. Andrew M. Moreland, Mrs. G. W. Martin, Mrs. J. A. House, Miss Little, Mrs. Webster R. Balsinger and Mrs. George T. Clarkson. Several entertainments are being planned for Mrs. Belding, the week to be ushered in with a luncheon and theater party at the Nixon, at which Miss Little will be hostess. Mrs. Lawrence will give a luncheon at the Country club on Tuesday for Mrs. Belding and Miss Johnson, and also an informal bridge party on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Webster R. Balsinger gives a luncheon on Wednesday afternoon and Mrs. J. H. Lindsay of Dithridge street will be hostess at a small bridge party in the evening of the same day.

Miss Stone Entertains.

Miss Jean Stone of North avenue, Allegheny, was hostess at a charming little tea yesterday, having as her guests of honor Miss Ethel Calder of Harrisburg, and Miss Emma Buhl Boggs of Allegheny, the fiancee of James McBride. Each of the assistants, including Mrs. John Crosby Brydon of Somerset, Miss Adeline J. Spencer, Miss Mary Scully, Miss Alice Thomas, Miss Marie Aiken and Miss Mary Davidson, wore corsage bouquets of violets. At the dinner following the tea which was held at 5 o'clock, the guests were the aids and an equal number of men. Miss Stone will entertain again next week, having chosen Monday as the day on which she will give a bridge party for Miss Calder. Miss Eleanor Gregg will be hostess at bridge for Miss Calder on Tuesday afternoon and on Thursday Mrs. Stone will give a box party at the Alvin, the play to be followed by a supper in the new Dutch Inn which will be formally opened next week.

Plans for Lawrenceville Wedding.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church in Forty-sixth street, Lawrenceville, will be the scene of the wedding of Miss Mary Carmody and Alfred Watterson McCann of New York next Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock. The Rev. Father F. L. Tobin will officiate, and the ceremony will be followed by an informal breakfast at the home of the bride's father, M. A. Carmody, in Forty-fourth street. The only attendants at the wedding will be Miss Frances McMahon as maid of honor, and Paul R. McCann, a brother of the bridegroom, as best man. After their wedding trip Mr. McCann and his bride will make their home in New York city, receiving after March 1. The prospective bridegroom is a former professor of literature in the Holy Ghost college in this city.

Head-Coulter.

GREENSBURG, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Miss Stella Marie Head, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Head, became the wife of Henry Welty Coulter at the home of the bride's parents tonight. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Philip Krots, pastor of the Most Holy Sacrament Roman Catholic church, and was witnessed by the immediate families and a few friends. Later in the evening a large reception was held. After a wedding dinner Mr. and Mrs. Coulter left on an eastern wedding trip. Mr. Coulter is an alumnus of Princeton university, and captain of Company I, Tenth regiment, N. G. P. He is a son of Gen. and Mrs. Richard Coulter.

An Anniversary Celebration.

Members of Madoc lodge No. 229, Knights of Pythias, are completing arrangements for their twenty-fifth anniversary celebration in Braun's auditorium next Thursday evening. In addition to dancing and supper there will be a vaudeville entertainment and an address by William A. Jordan. The committees appointed are as follows: General committee, M. L. Greenston, chairman; Charles Rudisill, floor manager; L. H. Gross, treasurer; reception committee, Adolph Eells, B. C. Sexton, Dr. J. Mishkin, Joseph T. Yorkins, P. L. Witt, Albert A. Miller, W. H. Bishop, E. L. Jones, M. I. Bernstein and P. Lankieky.

Miss Painter Leaves Town.

Miss Eleanor Guthrie Painter, who has been visiting her aunts, the Misses Guthrie of Ridge avenue, Allegheny, will leave for her home in Lakewood, N. J., on Tuesday. Although Miss Painter has made no definite plans for her wedding to Lieut. Harry Ford Reed, the marriage will be solemnized in the little union chapel in Watch Hill, where all denominations join in that resort worship, is to be a military wedding in deference to Lieut. Reed, who belongs to the artillery corps, U. S. A., in Fort Dupont, Del.

Served a Double Purpose.

The euchre which Mrs. William F. Wilson of Wilmerding avenue gave yesterday served a double purpose. It was given for Miss Margaret V. Tiers, whose engagement to William Hepburn Tinsman has just been announced, and was also a farewell for the hostess, who, with Mr. Wilson, will leave early next month to spend the winter in the south. There were eight tables in play at the euchre, the prizes going to Mrs. Arthur E. West, Mrs. Alfred Hunt of Oakmont and her guest, Miss Thayer of Santiago, Cuba.

Luncheon for Bride-Elect.

Mrs. Samuel A. Pickering of North Negley and Stanton avenues gave a beautifully appointed little luncheon of 14 covers yesterday in honor of Miss Charlotte Heiner of Butler, the fiancee of Paul Sturtevant of the East End. Among the guests were Miss Heiner, Miss Clara Zane Pugh, Miss Marie McCullough, Miss Helen Thompson, Mrs. Eugene M. Reilly, Miss Helen Persing, Miss Mary Estep, Mrs. Fred Nevin Pilgrim, Miss Jessie Scott and Mrs. Edwin D. W. Adams.

Mrs. Beeson Will Entertain.

Mrs. Charles Edmund Beeson of Howe street has invitations out for a tea to be given at her home next Tuesday in honor of Miss Katherine F. McIntyre of McKeesport, whose marriage to Henry P. Snyder of Connellsville will take place on January 25. Miss McIntyre was a bridesmaid at Mrs. Beeson's wedding. Mrs. J. M. Borland of McKeesport, who will be matron of honor at the McIntyre-Snyder wedding, will entertain at cards for the bride-elect on Monday.

Dinner Precedes Concert.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lawrence Mespler gave a small and informal dinner at the Pittsburgh Golf club last evening preceding the concert by the Yale Musical clubs at the Schenley. The dinner was in honor of Miss Frost of New York, who is visiting Miss Elizabeth Lauder of Penn avenue. In addition to Miss Frost and Miss Lauder, covers were laid for Clinton L. Childs, H. Hughart Laughlin and one or two others.

Great-Grandmother Celebrates.

Mrs. Thomas G. Aten of Braddock entertained last evening for her grandmother, Mrs. Nancy Riley, the occasion being the eighty-third of Mrs. Riley's birth. Four generations were represented at the gathering which was composed of relatives. Mrs. Riley is the widow of Cyrus Riley, who died 20 years ago. She has resided in Braddock for 38 years.

Notes of Society.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCrea of Ellsworth avenue gave a simply appointed little dinner last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. George Westinghouse.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Boone of Bellevue have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Jean Murray Boone, to William Hontgriefe Dick. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mrs. George Breed Gordon is to give two informal afternoon bridge parties next week at her home in Wilkins avenue. The days selected for the affairs are Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Louise Succop was honor guest at an informal luncheon which her mother, Mrs. A. E. Succop of Ellsworth avenue gave at her home yesterday afternoon. The other guests were friends of Miss Succop from Miss Dana's school in Morristown, N. J.

There will be 12 tables in play at the bridge party which Miss Margaretta Wood of Ellsworth avenue is to give this afternoon for her new sister-in-law, Mrs. William Boss Wood of Richmond, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. Wood will arrive in the city this morning to remain only until tomorrow evening.

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AMONG THE CLUBS

Fair Galaxy of Women.

The Woman's club of Homestead gave a social meeting yesterday at which the members impersonated Shakespearean characters. The club met at the home of Mrs. J. H. Williams. All the costumes had been procured especially for the occasion. A few impersonated male characters, such as Hamlet, Romeo and one or two others. Music was a feature of the afternoon and a short farce was enacted after the piano numbers. A few Homestead women were guests of the club. The following is a list of the women who came in Shakespearean dress: Mrs. C. W. Ashley, who represented Viola; Mrs. H. L. Baker, Portia, in "Julius Caesar;" Mrs. R. D. Bryce, Katherine, in "The Taming of the Shrew;" Mrs. J. F. Campbell, Constance; Mrs. H. de la Cossitt, Rosalind; Mrs. L. L. Davis, Hamlet; Mrs. J. A. Doyle, Maria; Miss Mary Huth, Portia; Mrs. George Hutson, Romeo; Mrs. D. R. McClure, Lady Montague; Miss Martha McClure, Olivia; Mrs. J. B. Neal, Lady Macbeth; Mrs. M. D. Hyson, Celia; Mrs. S. S. Roberts, Juliet; Miss Mary Taylor, the nurse in "Romeo and Juliet;" Mrs. W. E. Underwood, a shepherdess; Mrs. J. Leyda Vance, Beatrice; Mrs. S. S. Wales, Cordelia, and Mrs. J. R. Williams, Lady Capulet. The next meeting of the Woman's club of Homestead will meet January 9 at the home of Mrs. August Miller.

Executive Committee Meets.

The regular meeting of the Allegheny county W. C. T. U. executive committee will be held in the chapel of the Methodist Book building, Penn avenue, on Tuesday, January 10, at 1:30 o'clock. The Douglas W. C. T. U. will hold a meeting in Brown's chapel Monday, January 9, at 8 o'clock. The Wilkinsburg branch of the W. C. T. U. will hold its meeting in the First Presbyterian church of Wilkinsburg on Wednesday, January 11, at 2:30 o'clock. The Homestead W. C. T. U. will meet in regular session at 339 Fourth avenue, Homestead, on Thursday, January 12, at 7:30 o'clock.

Epoch Club Meets.

The regular meeting of the Epoch club was held yesterday morning at the home of Mrs. Charles S. Eaton in Sellers street. Mrs. Frank L. Slocum read a paper on "Chinese Language and Systems of Education." Mrs. Frank T. Hogg read selections from a book of Chinese poetry, selections from "Plumblossom Beebe's Adventures," and "Alone in China," by Julian Ralph.

Club Notes.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Press club will be held today at 2:30 o'clock in the Hotel Lincoln.

The Amicus club has extended invitations for their first winter reception, January 19, at Cyclorama parlors, Allegheny.

The St. Joseph's Association for the Relief of the Poor announce a euchre and reception in Braun's academy on Wednesday evening, January 11. Several prizes have been given by business houses and friends.

The Myosotic Euchre club was entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Lulu Hart, Ridge avenue. The following won prizes: First, Miss Lulu Hart; second, Miss Bertha Gue; third, Charles Morrow; second, Earl Burt.

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[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, Jan. 6.—At 6 p. m. today the Ohio river at Cincinnati was 13.7 feet and falling. Today's departures were: Courier, Maysville, Lord J. Worthum, Madison, and City of Cincinnati, Louisville. The towboat movements were: The Marmet, she took her tow to the Kentucky river for delivery up that stream. The Harvester is due tomorrow with a tow of 31 empties for Paducah.

LOUISVILLE—River falling; in canal, 9.7 feet; on falls, 4.5 feet; below locks, 13.0 feet. Cloudy and cool.

WHEELING—River 5 feet 6 inches and falling. Cloudy and cool with snow and rain. Down, Virginia, Cincinnati, 4 p. m.; Bessie Smith, Parkersburg, noon.

GREENSBORO—River 7 feet and stationary. Hite up Saturday. Snowy.

OIL CITY—River 3 feet 8 inches and stationary. Cloudy and milder. Heavy snow.

MARIETTA—River 8½ feet and stationary. Light rain and snow. River half full soft ice.

MIDDLEPORT—River 11 feet and stationary. Up, Tom Rees No. 2, 12 m. Down, Big Kanawha, 10:30 a. m.; Tom Dodsworth, 4 p. m.; light, Boaz, Exporter and Iron Age left 8 a. m. Cloudy and cool.

STEUBENVILLE—River 7 feet 6 inches and falling. Cold, snowing.

PARKERSBURG—River 9 feet and stationary. Snow this afternoon; now warmer, cloudy and thawing; no boats.

WARREN—River 2 feet and 7 inches. Snow.

GALLIPOLIS—River 11 feet and stationary. Cloudy with rain, turning to snow.

MORGANTOWN—River 7 feet and stationary. Cloudy; 6 inches of snow.

POINT PLEASANT—River 7 feet and stationary. Cloudy. Up, Tom Reese, Valiant, Kanawha. Down, D. T. Lane, Big Kanawha and Tom Dodsworth.

WOMAN BRINGS IN BOAT.

Only Female Captain on the Ohio Arrived in Port Yesterday.

The stage of water at Davis island dam at 9 o'clock last night was 6.1 feet, and the river was falling slowly.

Mrs. Mary Becker Greene, wife of Capt. Gordon Greene, the only woman holding the papers of a master and pilot on the Ohio river, brought the big side wheel steamboat Greenland into port yesterday morning from Cincinnati. She left with the boat last evening for Charleston, W. Va., and expects to bring her boat back in the regular Charleston trade next Friday. She is not only the active and actual commander, but the owner as well. With three husky babies she makes her home in the "texas" and lives on the water all the year around.

Capt. Gordon Greene is one of the best known and most popular men on the river. He is owner of a half dozen boats and is at present in Cincinnati starting the trips of his new line to Pomeroy and Charleston. It is known as the C., P. and C. line, or the Cincinnati, Pomeroy and Charleston. The boats in this line are the Stanley, Tacoma, Courier, Wells and Greenwood.

When Capt. Greene married Mary Becker they made their home on his boat. It was the H. K. Bedford and the only one he owned then. The little woman who had joined her fortunes with his decided to be a real partner with him and she learned the river. After two years she applied for and received a pilot's license and was elected a member of Pittsburgh Harbor No. 25. Three years later she applied for papers as a master and passed that examination successfully. When she had learned the river she stood watch with her husband and together they built up the river business. Everybody along the river learned to know the little woman who took her turn at the wheel or in command of the boat, and shippers favored her. The business grew until today they own one of the nicest fleets on the river.

The Greenwood, one of their later acquisitions, was growing old and Capt. Greene decided to build a new boat for his wife. So the side wheeler, Greenland, was built and launched in the spring of 1904. Last spring she made her initial trip and reopened the long-forgotten trips from Pittsburgh to St. Louis, carrying a crowd to the exposition. She made four trips to the fair city, each time in command of the little woman. The trips were very successful. Since navigation closed she has been lying at Marietta.

Mrs. C. F. Statler, stewardess of the boat, lives with Mrs. Greene. The Greenes have three bright boys, the youngest a baby, but the other two of an age to get around and interest themselves in what is going on. Out in front of the "texas" is a tiny pilot wheel, where the junior Greenes take their stand in pleasant weather, and, with one eye on their mother in the pilot house and the other on the river, think they are directing the course of the Greenland through the water. The boat is one of the handsomest on the rivers, is fitted with 60 staterooms, has telephones and electric lights aboard, and all the conveniences which go to make river travel a delight. She was planned throughout by Mrs. Greene herself, and is the woman captain's ideal of what a passenger steamer ought to be. Mrs. Greene has held captain's and pilot's papers for 14 years and has never had an accident. She is pretty, on the sunny side of 40, is about 5 feet tall and stockily built. The "texas" is furnished comfortably and she has as nice a home as any woman who lives on shore. She has the additional advantage, so dear to many feminine hearts, of being able to move any time she wants, but there is no trouble about it.

The Lorena, from Zanesville, Capt. George Wallace in command, arrived yesterday morning and will leave at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

The Virginia will arrive this morning from Cincinnati. She carries a heavy cargo of freight which has been gathered all the way up the river. She is the first boat the Cincinnati line has run since last July.

D. A. R. MAY LOSE.

Judge Kennedy Intimates a Reversal in the Block House Suit.

Arguments on the motion for a new trial were concluded yesterday in the case of the Daughters of the American Revolution against the city of Pittsburgh for damages for closing Fort street and Point alley, which lead to the old Block house. The plaintiffs have been awarded $18,800 damages, while the viewers made an award of about $1,000.

The city argued that as the claimants did not have a title in fee simple they could not assert any right to damages. The argument for the Daughters admitted that they could not convey the property, but the conditions on which they held it entitled them to damages so long as the conditions were not violated.

Judge Kennedy intimated that he was of the opinion that if the claimants could not convey the property unencumbered, the city was entitled to a new trial, and took papers in the case.

FOUNDRYMEN SEND REGRETS.

Pittsburgh Association Cannot Accept Boston Invitation for January 11.

The Pittsburgh Foundrymen's association has been forced to send its regrets to the invitation extended by the Boston Foundrymen's association to visit the latter organization on January 11. The Boston organization had made elaborate preparations to entertain the Pittsburghers as well as the Philadelphia organization of the same industry.

The regular monthly meeting of the Pittsburgh association takes place on the evening of January 10, and the Manufacturers' association meets the next evening. As there is important business on hand at these meetings it was found impossible to accept the invitation.

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CALVARY, Allegheny, Allegheny and Beech avenues, James M. Thoburn, Jr., D. D.—10:30, "The Dynamic of the New Life;" 7:45, "Searching for the First Sinner."

MANCHESTER, Allegheny, Franklin and Market streets, D. A. Greene—10:45, "The Church and the Holy Spirit;" 7:30, "The Reign of the Prince of Peace."

CENTENARY, Kirkpatrick street and Wylie avenue, J. H. Denniston—10:30, "The Mystery of the Kingdom of God;" 7:45, "Positive Salvation."

MT. WASHINGTON, Sycamore street, L. S. Wilkinson—10:30, "The Immortality of Goodness;" 7:30, sermon by James Mechem, D. D.

LINCOLN AVENUE, Lincoln avenue and Meadow street, John L. Hillman, D. D.—11, communion; 7:45, "The Message of the Types."

SMITHFIELD, Smithfield street and Seventh avenue, W. H. W. Rees, D. D.—11, "God's Ability;" S, "A Lion at the Door."

UNION, Allegheny, Pennsylvania avenue and Manhattan street, D. L. Johnson—10:30, "Misery of Wrong Doing;" 7:30, revival service.

CHRIST, Liberty and Center avenues, Daniel Dorchester, Jr., D. D.—11, "Faith;" 7:45, "The New Year's Song of Pippa Passes."

HERRON HILL, Anderson and Herron avenues, James B. Williams—10:45, "The Lord Is With Us;" 7:30, "Mocking at Sin."

EAST LIBERTY, Penn and Highland avenues, Frank J. Sneed, D. D.—11, "Church's Inspiration;" 7:45, "Soul Saving."

NORTH AVENUE, Allegheny, E. L. Eaton, D. D.—10:30, "Glory of the Cross;" 7:45, sermon by J. T. McCrory, D. D.

BUENA VISTA STREET, Allegheny, W. R. Moore—10:30, "The One Whom We Worship;" 7:30, "The Speechless Guest."

ARCH STREET, Allegheny, H. J. Giles—10:30, "The Only Freedom;" 7:45, "The Sweetest Text in the Bible."

EMORY, North Highland avenue, Arthur D. Mink—11, "The condition of Church Success;" 7:45, evangelistic service.

M'CLURE AVENUE, Allegheny, S. J. Glass, D. D.—11, annual reports of Sunday school; 7:45, "Coming Home."

WEST END, South Main street, D. Flanigan—10:30, "Our Future Companion;" 7:30, "The Healing Christ."

PLEASANT VALLEY, Allegheny, Z. M. Silbaugh—10:45, "The Promise of Power;" 7:45, usual service.

PACIFIC AVENUE, Pacific avenue and Dearborn street, Earl C. Lindsey—11 and 7:45, revival services.

SIMPSON, Allegheny, Howard E. Lloyd—10:45, "A Love Slave;" 7:30, "Ye Must be Born Again."

FRIENDSHIP AVENUE, Pittsburgh, John M. Gaston—11 and 7:45, usual services.

Methodist Protestant.

MT. WASHINGTON, Virginia avenue and Bingham street, E. C. Lane—10:30, "The Light of the World;" 7:30, "Not Ashamed of the Gospel."

FIRST, Allegheny, S. K. Spahr—10:30, "Getting Rich Godward;" 7:30, "Faith Without Sight."

Presbyterian.

TABERNACLE, Collins avenue and Station street, Allan Douglas Carlile, D. D.—11, sermon by E. P. Cowan, D. D.; 7:45, sermon by J. A. Eakin, late of Bangkok, Siam.

SECOND, Pittsburgh, Bijou theater, S. Edward Young, D. D.—10:45, sermon by David Gregg, D. D.; 3, usual services; 7:45, sermon by David Gregg, D. D.

WESTMINSTER, Allegheny, Buena Vista street and Taylor avenue, T. Rose Paden—10:45, "Carist Taking a Boat to Sea;" 7:45, evangelistic service.

SECOND CUMBERLAND, Penn and Brushton avenues, W. F. Silveus, D. D.—10:45, "The Influence of a Touch;" 7:45, "The Open Door."

BELLEFIELD, Bellefield and Fifth avenues, Daniel Russell—11, "Jesus the Man of Prayer;" 7:45, "Seeking Things Above."

FIRST, Pittsburgh, Nixon theater, Maitland Alexander, D. D.—10:45, "St. Luke's Chapter on Prayer;" 7:45, "Look Not Behind."

THIRD, Pittsburgh, South Negley and Fifth avenues, William L. McEwan, D. D.—11, "The Cross;" 7:45, "The Motive of Life."

EAST END, Waverly and Peebles streets, A. R. Van Fossen—11, "Wonderful Love;" 7:30, "Better Than Life."

United Presbyterian.

FIRST, Pittsburgh, Fifth, near Bouquet street, William J. Reid—10:45, "The Dignity of the Doorkeeper of the Temple;" 7:45, "The Difference Between the World and the Church."

NORTH END, Allegheny, Perrysville and Duquesne avenues, R. C. Douds—11, "A Great Revival and How It Was Brought About; 7:45, "How God Measures and Judges a Man's Life."

SECOND, Allegheny, W. H. McMillan, D. D.—11, "A Christian's Supreme Motive;" 7:30, "The Two Companions Before the Throne."

ELEVENTH, Allegheny, California and Davis avenues, C. F. Wishart—11, "The Church's Field;" 7:45, "The Way of Life."

THIRD, Pittsburgh, Diamond street, J. T. McCrory, D. D.—10:45, "Was Paul Crazy?" 7:45, sermon by E. L. Eaton, D. D.

SHADYSIDE, Center avenue and Cypress street, J. K. McClurkin, D. D.—11, "Too Late;" 7:45, "The Waters Saw Thee."

SIXTH, North Highland avenue, R. M. Russell, D. D.—11, "A World-Winning Church;" 7:45, "The Only Saviour."

SECOND, Pittsburgh, S. W. McKelvey—10:45, "Longer Cords and Stronger Stakes;" 7:45, "The Sorrow of God."

ELEVENTH, West End, South Main street, W. R. Thompson, D. D.—10:30, "Sin—Its Cure;" 7:30, usual service.

FOURTH, Allegheny, Thomas Park, D. D.—11, "The Bird With the Broken Pinion;" 7:45, "Borrowed."

ATLANTIC AVENUE, McKeesport, James E. Walker—10:30 and 7:30, preaching by J. O. Paisley.

KNOXVILLE, Knoxville, W. M. McMurray—11, communion; 7:45, "Saved by Grace."

Reformed Presbyterian.

EIGHTH STREET, Eighth street, near Duquesne way, David McAllister, D. D.—10:30, "The Secret Places of the Stairs;" 2:15, "Tables Served;" 7:45, "The Christian Life—A Life of Service."

Baptist.

FOURTH AVENUE, Fourth avenue and Ross street, Warren G. Partridge, D. D.—10:45, "Remove Not the Ancient Landmarks;" 7:45, "True Prayer."

SHADY AVENUE, Pittsburgh, Shady, near Penn avenue, W. A. Stanton, D. D.—11, "The Humanity of God;" 7:45, "The Builder and the Building."

JOHNSTON AVENUE, Hazelwood, William J. Coulston—10:45, "Preparing the Way of the Lord;" 7:45, "Beginning the Christian Life."

SANDUSKY STREET, Allegheny, B. F. Woodburn, D. D.—11, "The Quality of the Inner Life;" 7:45, sermon by A. J. Bonsall.

OAKLAND, Atwood and Bates streets, A. R. Stark—10:45, "Why One Man Should Pray for Another;" 7:45, "A Safe Foundation."

FIRST, McKeesport, J. A. Maxwell—10:30, "The Supreme Obligation of a Church;" 7:30, "The Moral Anatomy of Man."

BETH-EDEN, Allegheny, Chartiers street, J. S. Hutson—10:45, "Conditions of Blessing;" 7:30, usual service.

JUDSON MEMORIAL MISSION, Allegheny, Kennedy avenue—7:30, sermon by B. F. Woodburn, D. D.

HOMEWOOD, Kelley street and Homewood avenue—10:45 and 7:45, sermons by G. W. Taft.

FORTY-SIXTH STREET, T. Griffiths—10:45 and 7:45, usual services.

Reformed.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION, Allegheny, Termon avenue, Albert C. Dieffenbach—11, "The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper;" 7:45, "The Place of Jesus in Our Worship."

GRACE, Dithridge and Bayard streets, John H. Prugh, D. D.—10:45, "The Importance of the Now;" 7:45, "The Hymn That They Sang at Supperime."

CHRIST, Brushton and Baxter avenues, J. Grant Walter—11, communion; 7:45, "The Open Door."

ST. MARK'S MEMORIAL, Harvard street—11 and 7:45, sermons by William E. Hair of Reading, Pa.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES TOMORROW.

Christian.

CENTRAL, Pride street, off Fifth avenue, C. L. Thurgood—10:30, "The Certainty—'I Know Whom;'" 7:45, "When Jesus Comes Into the Home."

EAST END, South Highland avenue, William J. Russell—10:45, "What Shall I Do With Jesus?" 7:45, "The Ground of Believers' Hope."

ROWAN AVENUE, Pittsburgh, E. E. Manley—11:00, "The Kingdom of God Internal;" 8:00, address by Miss Elste Taylor.

OBSERVATORY HILL, Allegheny, John A Jayne—10:45, "Christian Enthusiasm;" 7:45, "If Christ Came to Allegheny."

Congregational

FIRST, Pittsburgh, Fifth avenue and Washington street, B. Gwernydd Newton—10:45 and 7:45, usual services.

FIRST, Allegheny, Franklin and Manhattan streets, L. H. Ruge—10:45, 2:00 and 7:45, revival services.

Protestant Episcopal.

TRINITY, Sixth avenue, A. W. Arundel, D. D.—8:00 communion; 10:45, "Facing the Future—With Courage or With Fear?" 7:30, choral service.

Christian Science.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Clyde street, near Fifth avenue—11, communion; S, sacrament.

Miscellaneous.

FIRST CHURCH OF SPIRITUALISTS, Bequet street—10:45, "The Value of Mediumship and Psychic Unfoldment;" 7:45, "Is Spiritualism a Religion?"

REFORM CONGREGATION RODEFH SHALOM, Eighth street, J. Leonard Levy, D. D.—10:30, "To Have and to Hold."

Y. M. C. A., Penn avenue and Seventh street—4, address to young men by Maitland Alexander, D. D.

FIRST SPIRITUALISTIC, Allegheny, 24 W. Lacock street, G. Clinton Day—2:45 and 7:45, usual services.

FIRST UNITARIAN, Ellsworth and Morewood avenues, L. Walter Mason—11:00, "Judgment."

NEW COVENANT MISSION, 832 Forty-second street, M. Ruben—3, gospel service.

Y. W. C. A., 120 Fifth avenue—4, "Doers and Hearers," by Celia Smith.

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Office of the Allegheny Bridge Company, Sixth street and Duquesne way.
Pittsburgh, Pa., January 2, 1905.
DIVIDEND—The president, managers and company for erecting a bridge over the Allegheny river opposite Pittsburgh, have this day declared a dividend of ONE DOLLAR AND SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS ($1.75) on each share of the capital stock of the company, full paid, payable to stockholders or their legal representatives forthwith. Checks will be mailed.
W. ROSEBURG, Treasurer.

The German Fire Insurance Company of the City of Pittsburgh, Pa.
Nos. 216 and 218 Fourth ave.,
Pittsburgh, Pa., January 3, 1905.
DIVIDEND NO. 82.—The board of directors of this company has this day declared a semi-annual dividend of FIVE (5) PER CENT ($2.50) per share out of the earnings of the last six months, payable January 9th inst. Checks will be mailed.
A. H. ECKERT,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Standard Underground Cable Co.,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 30, 1904.
DIVIDEND—The board of directors of this company has this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of two (2) per cent and an extra dividend of two (2) per cent for the year 1904 on the capital stock of the company, payable January 10, 1905. The transfer books will be closed from January 6 to 10 inclusive. Checks will be mailed by the treasurer to all stockholders of record January 5, 1905.
F. A. RINEHART, Secretary.

Office of the Birmingham Fire Insurance Company, 1812 Carson street,
Pittsburgh, Pa., January 2, 1905.
DIVIDEND No. 64—The directors of this company have this day declared a dividend of FOUR AND ONE-HALF (4½) PER CENT at two dollars and thirty-five cents per share out of the earnings of the past six months, payable on demand.
E. G. SCHOLZE, Secretary.

The Lincoln National Bank,
Pittsburgh, Pa., December 30, 1904.
QUARTERLY DIVIDEND—The board of directors of this bank have this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of two (2) per cent, and an extra one-half of one (½ of 1) per cent on the capital stock out of the earnings of the last three months, payable January 3. Checks will be mailed.
W. R. CHRISTIAN, Cashier.

The German National Bank,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 28, 1904.
The German National bank has declared its regular quarterly dividend of two and one-half per cent, and an extra dividend of one-half per cent out of the earnings for the past three months. Books close December 30. Checks will be mailed.
W. H. RAMSEY, Cashier.

Western Savings and Deposit Bank,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 19, 1904.
QUARTERLY DIVIDEND—The directors of this bank have this day declared a dividend of two and one-half (2½) per cent on the capital stock, out of the earnings of the past three months, free of tax, payable January 2, 1905. Checks will be mailed.
CHARLES E. SCHUETZ, Cashier.

GERMAN SAVINGS & DEPOSIT BANK,
Carson & South 14th St.,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 31st, 1904.
QUARTERLY DIVIDEND—The directors of this Bank have this day declared a dividend of five (5) per cent out of the earnings of the last three months payable January 3rd, 1905 free of tax.
J. F. ERNY, Cashier.

Harbison-Walker Refractories Company,
Pittsburgh, Pa., January 4, 1905.
DIVIDEND—The directors have this day declared, for quarter ended December 31, 1904, a dividend of one (1) per cent on preferred stock, payable January 20 to stockholders of record January 10. Checks will be mailed.
HAMILTON STEWART,
Secretary and Treasurer.

The German National Bank of Allegheny,
Allegheny, Pa., Dec. 31, 1904.
DIVIDEND—The board of directors of this bank have this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of FOUR (4) PER CENT on the capital stock, out of the earnings of the past three months. Checks will be mailed.
GEORGE G. SCHMIDT, Cashier.

First National Bank, Sewickley,
December 28, 1904.
DIVIDEND—The board of directors have this day declared the regular dividend of FIVE (5) PER CENT out of the earnings of the past six months, payable by check January 1, 1905.
E. P. COFFIN, Cashier.

Allemannia Fire Insurance Company,
Pittsburgh, Pa., January 2, 1905.
DIVIDEND No. 56.—A semi-annual dividend of four per cent, ($2.00 per share) has been declared on the stock of this company, payable forthwith. Checks will be mailed.
CHAS. F. KELLERMAN, Secretary.

Allegheny National Bank,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 31, 1904.
DIVIDEND—The directors of this bank have this day declared a dividend of four (4) per cent out of the earnings of the last six months, payable forthwith, free of tax.
W. MONTGOMERY, Cashier.

LOST.

LOST—Lady's open faced gold watch and pin, diamond in watch and pin; lost on Sharpsburg car or in Fifth avenue; $25 reward. P. C. Magill, 202 Smithfield st.

LOST—Black card case pocketbook containing $25, three $5 and $10 bill; somewhere between St. Charles Hotel and Smith building. Return to 132 Seventh st. and receive reward.

LOST—Dog; on Sunday, January 1, red cocker spaniel, 1 year old; license No. 4628. Liberal reward for return to 962 Graham st., or for information which will lead to recovery.

LOST—On Sixth st. or Fifth ave., between Price Bros. & Reymer's, gold watch, monogram "M. L. W.," on case. Reward if left at 801 Penn ave., city.

PATENTS.

J. H. STEVENSON & CO., have moved to 508 Farmers Bank building. PATENT AND PENSION ATTORNEYS.

TRUXALL, seller and promoter of patents. 900 German Nat. Bank Bldg., Pittsburgh.

H. G. EVERT & CO., Patent Attorneys, 305 Smithfield st., opposite postoffice.

LEGAL NOTICES.

CERTIFICATE RE-EXTENDING CHARTER.
Treasury Department,
Office of Comptroller of the Currency,
Washington, D. C., Dec. 19, 1904.
Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that the Farmers Deposit National bank of Pittsburgh, located in the city of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny, and state of Pennsylvania, has complied with all of the provisions of the act of congress "to enable National banking associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 12, 1882, as amended by the act, approved April 12, 1902. Now, therefore, I, William B. Ridgely, comptroller of the currency, do hereby certify that the Farmers Deposit National bank of Pittsburgh, located in the city of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny, and state of Pennsylvania, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association, namely: until close of business on December 19, 1924.
(Seal.)
In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this nineteenth day of December, 1904.
(Signed)
WM. B. RIDGELY,
Comptroller of the Currency.

CERTIFICATE RE-EXTENDING CHARTER.
Treasury Department, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency,
Washington, D. C., January 4, 1905.
WHEREAS, By Satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The Allegheny National Bank of Pittsburgh," located in the City of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny and state of Pennsylvania, has complied with all the provisions of the act of congress, "to enable national banking associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 12, 1882, as amended by the act, approved April 12, 1902.
NOW, therefore, I, Thomas P. Kane, deputy and acting comptroller of the currency, do hereby certify that "The Allegheny National Bank of Pittsburgh, located in the city of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny and state of Pennsylvania, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association—namely, until close of business on January 4, 1925."
In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this fourth day of January, 1905.
(SEAL.)
Signed: T. P. KANE,
Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.

CHARLES A. POTH, Attorney-at-Law, 230 Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa. In court of common pleas No. 2, of Allegheny county, No. 1163, January term, 1905. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the court of common pleas No. 2, of Allegheny county, on the 21st day of January, 1905, at 9:30 o'clock, under the provisions of the corporation act of 1874, and its supplements, by Paul Edelman, John Qualtice, Daniel F. Hannan, Thomas Keenan and John Kraus, all of the city of Pittsburgh, for a charter for an intended corporation, to be called the "Southern Outing Club of Pittsburgh," the character and object of which are the maintenance of a club for social enjoyment, in particular encouraging social intercourse among its members by providing a place where its members may meet for a discussion of their social and business affairs, and also encouraging summer outing and camping among its members; and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the said act, and the supplements thereto. Charles A. Poth, solicitor.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on the 23d day of January, 1905, by Samuel W. Black, Wesley R. Dilworth and William M. Hall, Jr., under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called Samuel W. Black Company, the character and object of which are carrying on the general business of real estate agents, including the buying and selling of real estate and mortgages as agents and brokers, renting and managing real estate and placing of insurance on real and personal property, with the right to sell, lease, exchange, mortgage, pledge, change, or otherwise dispose of real estate by vote of its directors, without the consent of its stockholders, with principal office at Pittsburgh, and for these purposes to have and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and the supplements thereto. Hall & Adair, Solicitors for Applicants.

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS—In the matter of Highland Brewing Company, bankrupt. In the district court of the United States for the western district of Pennsylvania. In bankruptcy. To the creditors of Highland brewing Company, in the county of Allegheny, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that, on the 21st day of December, A. D. 1904, the said Highland brewing Company was duly adjudicated a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of its creditors will be held at Room No. 24 in St. Nicholas building, No. 450 Fourth ave., in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, on the 16th day of January, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. The schedules filed show: Liabilities, $88,172 01; assets, $163,205 72. William B. Blair, Referee in Bankruptcy. January 7, 1905.

BROWN & STEWART, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 508 Diamond street. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania,

MORE LOSSES THAN GAINS IN NEW YORK MARKET

U. S. Steel Issues and the High Class Railroads All Closed Lower—Oil and Gas Led the Decline in Pittsburgh

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

During the greater part of yesterday the New York stock market was dull and heavy, with here and there a decidedly weak spot. There was a dearth of news to affect values, and professional trading dominated the market. An exception was the Erie issues, the first and second preferred of which advanced to the highest prices for more than a year. The common stock opened at 40¾, which was high for the day, declined to 39¼, and closed at 40. The possibilities of the Erie system in connection with the general eastern railroad situation has been harped upon for a long time, and it is the general impression that more than one large railroad company owns or controls a block of the stock. This reduces the floating supply and makes the stock a favorite of manipulators. The strength yesterday, however, did not stimulate any activity in the remainder of the list, except possibly in Reading common, which is pretty much in the same class as the Erie, so far as control is concerned.

All the high-class railroad stocks were heavy. St. Paul declined from 173⅞ to 171¼, Union Pacific from 115¼ to 113, and Pennsylvania from 139¼ to 137¾. There were intimations in banking circles which ought to be informed, that the rival interests in Northern Securities had reached an agreement, but the announcement that the Harriman interest would appeal its case to the supreme court of the United States had more effect upon the market than opinions to the effect that an understanding had been reached.

The heaviness in United States Steel issues was as influential as anything else in depressing the tone of the market. Steel common declined from 29⅜, the opening price, to 28¾, and the preferred from 92⅞ to 91½. In the absence of any known cause for this weakness, traders resorted to rumor and conjectures. In the former class was a report to the effect that the general government had in contemplation an investigation of the affairs of the corporation, and in the latter class were estimates of the earnings for the last quarter of 1904. So far as earnings are concerned, there has been no reason to change the estimates of between $30,000,000 and $20,000,000, made a month ago. When the lower figure was first mentioned a few weeks ago it was construed as bullish on the stock. The fact that most of the iron and steel stocks closed lower without the aid of rumor or conjecture suggests that the decline in the latter was natural reflecting the subsidence of public interest.

An exception was United States Cast Iron Pipe, both common and preferred advancing to the highest prices for more than a year and closing strong. Amalgamated Copper opened at 74, advanced to 75, where it met heavy sales, broke to 72⅝ and closed at 73⅝, a net loss of a small fraction for the day. The market as a whole was weakest around 2 p. m. In the last hour a rally occurred during which a portion of the earlier losses was regained, but final sales showed more losses than gains.

The money market remained easy, call loans being quoted at 2 to 2½ per cent. Forecasts of today's bank statement indicate an increase in cash and a decrease in loans, but most of the changes will be a mere matter of bookkeeping and the general result without effect upon the money market.

The most active stock on the local board was Allegheny Valley Railway preferred, nearly 2,000 shares changing hands at the uniform price of 33, one transaction being a block of 100 shares. Late in the afternoon a small lot of the stock was offered at 32 and the market closed without bid. Crucible Steel preferred advanced to 61, the highest for more than a year, and closed with a net gain of ⅝ per cent. The common advanced to 11¾, which is also the highest for more than a year, and closed unchanged for the day. United States Steel common and preferred again closed lower, following the course of New York. The largest decline was in Pittsburgh Oil and Gas, which occurred late in the day, when the stock broke to 72 and closed at that price, a net loss of 3½ per cent. River Coal preferred rallied to 31½, but closed offered at 31. Pittsburgh Coal common was dull and closed a small fraction lower. The preferred declined to and closed at 82, a net loss of ⅞ per cent. Union Switch and Signal sold at 87½, a loss of ¼, and Electric at 90, a loss of ½. Fire Proofing common closed a fraction higher and the preferred a fraction lower, but both issues were dull. Tonopah Extension made a new high mark by selling at $3 55 and closing at that price bid. In the bank list an initial sale of Washington National at 162 was recorded. German National advanced 10 points to 250 and National Bank of Western Pennsylvania advanced 20 points to 220. Consolidated Gas 5s and Duquesne Traction 5s each advanced ¼ per cent.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

50	Ally. Val. pfd.	33	
250	do	33	
200	do	33	
150	Crucible com.	11⅜	
50	do	11⅜	
50	do	11⅜	
100	Switch com.	87½	
25	F. Proof com.	11½	
35	do	11½	
150	Tonopah Ext.	3.50	
50	do	3.50	
25	do	3.55	
20	do	3.55	
25	do	3.55	
20	Brewing com.	27¾	
100	M. L. & H.	39	
150	do	39	
50	do	39	

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

50	Crucible com.	11⅜	
50	do	11⅜	
50	do	11⅜	
100	Riv. Coal pfd.	31½	
$1000	Con. Gas 5s	109½	
50	Switch com.	87½	
400	Tonopah Ext.	3.50	
1100	Ally. Val. pfd.	32	
4	do	33	
100	do	33	

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

25	Ally. Val. pfd.	33	
75	do	33	
150	Crucible pfd.	61	
20	do	61	
10	do	60½	
10	do	60½	
15	do	60½	
20	do	60⅝	
10	do	60⅝	
100	U. S. Stl. com.	29⅜	
100	do	29	
200	do	29	
50	do	29	
40	Brewing pfd.	47½	
110	Switch com.	87½	
50	Tonopah Ext.	3.50	
75	do	3.50	

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

200	Marsden	5⅜	
100	do	5⅜	
25	do	5⅜	
100	do	5	
50	do	5	
10	do	5	
50	do	5	
50	Crucible com.	11⅜	
5	do	11⅜	
20	do	11⅜	
50	do	11⅜	
50	do	11⅜	
50	do	11⅜	
10	do	11⅜	
20	do	11⅜	
250	Crucible pfd.	60¼	
20	do	60⅛	
10	do	60½	
50	do	60½	
25	do	60¼	
75	do	60⅛	

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

50	U.S. Stl. com.	28⅜	
200	do	28¾	
50	do	28¾	
50	F. Coal pfd.	82½	
50	do	82¼	

2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

15	Nat Bk. W. Pa.	220	
25	Bank of Pgh.	167	
15	Home Trust.	125	
2	German N. B.	250	
50	Electric Snds.	80	
20	do	90	
5	do	90½	
25	do	90	
75	do	90	
25	do	90	
50	M. L. & H.	38⅞	
10	do	38¾	
50	do	38¾	
50	do	38¾	
25	P. Coal com.	22¼	
25	do	22⅜	
100	F. Proof pfd.	34	
100	do	34	
50	F. Proof pfd.	34	
50	do	34	
50	do	32	
50	do	32	
100	Tonopah Ext.	3.50	
50	do	3.50	
100	Tonopah Belmont	1.70	
50	do	1.70	
100	M. L. & H.	39	
50	Crucible pfd.	61	
5	do	60	
10	do	60	
10	do	60	
10	do	60	
100	Riv. Coal pfd.	31½	
50	do	30	
25	do	31¼	
30	M. L. & H.	38¾	
20	do	38½	
20	Brewing pfd.	47½	
5	do	47½	
25	Marsden	5⅝	
100	do	5½	
$5000	P., McK. & C. 5s	100	
$1000	Brewing 6s	112½	
20	Federal N. B.	198	

Summary.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Chge.
1954	Ally. Val. pfd	33	33	33	0
80	Brewing	27⅞	27¾	27¾	—⅛
75	Do pfd.	47¼	47⅛	47⅜	+⅛
810	Crucible Steel.	11¾	11½	11⅝	0
1616	Do pfd.	61	*59	60¾	+⅜
210	Fire Proofing.	11⅝	11½	11⅝	+⅛
210	Do pfd.	34¾	34	34	—⅛
585	M. L. & H.	39	38⅜	38⅝	—⅜
935	Marsden	5¾	5	5	—⅛
120	Pitts. Coal	22¼	22⅛	22¼	—⅛
350	Do pfd.	82½	82	82	—⅜
130	P. Oil & Gas.	73⅝	72	72	—3½
390	Riv. Coal pfd.	31½	*30⅝	*30¾	—⅛
1680	Tonopah Ext.	3.50	3.45	3.50	0
260	Un. Switch com	87½	87½	87½	—½
1125	U. S. Steel.	29⅜	28¾	29⅛	—⅜
205	Do pfd.	92⅞	91⅝	91⅝	—1¼
200	W. Elec. 2d.	90¼	90	90	—½
	BANK STOCKS.				
26	Bank of Pitts.	167	167	167	—1
10	Diam. N. B.	420	420	420	—5
20	Federal N. B.	198	198	198	0
2	German N. B.	250	250	250	±10
30	Home Trust.	125	125	125	0
15	N.B. of W.Pa.	220	220	220	420
25	Wash'n N. B.	162	162	162	....
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	BONDS.				
$1000	Brewing 6s	112½	112½	112½	—2¾
1,000	Cons. Gas 5s	109½	109½	109½	+½
3000	Duq. Trac. 5s	113½	113½	113½	+½
5000	P.McK. & C. 5s	100	100	100	0
$10000					

*Less than 10 shares. †New high mark.

Closing Bids and Offers.

BANK STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Allegheny Nat. Bank, Pitts.	$ 50	127	133
Commonwealth Trust	100	200	210
Exchange National	50	....	90
Federal National	100	....	199
Fourth National, Pittsburgh	100	....	167
Fifth Avenue Bank	50	76½	....
Fort Pitt National	100	....	240
German National Bank	100	....	205
Iron City Trust	100	136	140
Keystone	100	300	....
Lincoln National	100	240	....
Monongahela National	100	305	....
Nat. Bank of Western Pa.	100	....	240
Pittsburgh Trust	100	400	....
Second National, Pittsburgh	100	750	....
Allegheny Banks—			
First National, Allegheny	100	....	150
Insurance—			
Teutonia Insurance	50	....	97
Miscellaneous—			
American Sewer Pipe	100	27⅜	27⅝
Allegheny Valley R. R. pfd.	50	....	32⅜
Consolidated Ice	50	8½	9
Do preferred	50	38½	....
Crucible Steel	100	11⅜	11⅝
Do preferred	100	60	60½
Harbison-Walker Co.	100	....	10
Do preferred	100	....	65½
Luster Mining	10	11½	....
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	....	28¾
Marsden	100	6½	5¾
Monongahela Incline Plane	50	62	....
Monongahela River Coal pfd.	50	30½	31
National Fire Proofing	50	11¾	11½
Do preferred	50	33½	34½
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	41½	42
Pittsburgh Oil and Gas	100	....	72¾
Pittsburgh Stove & Range	50	....	10
Do preferred	50	....	17
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	27½	27¾
Do preferred	50	47½	47¾
Pittsburgh Coal	100	22	22¼
Do preferred	100	82	....
Pittsburgh Coal	100	22	22¼
Do preferred	100	82	....
Pittsburgh Plate Glass	100	....	127½
Standard Underground Cable	100	197	....
Tonopah Extension Mining	1	3.55	3.75
Union Switch & Signal	50	87	....
United States Steel	100	....	29¼
Do preferred	100	....	91¾
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	144½	....
BONDS.			
American Sewer Pipe 6s	....	100	....
P., Mc K. & Conn. 1st 5s	....	100¼	100⅝
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	....	112½	....

*Ex-dividend.

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH.

Crucible common advanced to 11¾ and the preferred to 61, the highest for more than a year.

Pittsburgh Oil and Gas declined to and closed at 72, a loss of 3½ per cent.

Nearly 2,000 shares Allegheny Valley preferred changed hands at 33.

The coal stocks and the Westinghouse issues all closed lower.

Tonopah Extension advanced to and closed at $3.55, a new high mark.

IN WALL STREET.

Tone of the market dull and heavy most of the day.

Erie first and second preferred advanced to the highest prices for more than a year.

All the standard railroad issues were heavy and closed lower.

All the United States Steel issues close lower. Amalgamated Copper advanced to 75, broke to 72⅝ and closed at 73⅝.

Volume of trading a little larger, sales footing up $13,800 shares stock and $5,325,000 bonds.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The largest dealings on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were in Allegheny Valley Railway preferred, nearly 2,000 shares changing hands at 33. Derr, Luke & Moore sold nearly all the stock handled, and the bulk of the buying was by Robinson Bros., the latter taking one block of 1,100 shares. The total amount of the preferred stock outstanding is $17,172,850, of which $11,876,000 is owned by and held in the treasury of the Pennsylvania railroad. This leaves $5,296,800 in the hands of the public, which represents 105,926 shares. The dealings in the stock on the local board during the past four or five weeks have been larger than for the previous two years combined, and this revival of activity has revived gossip as to the intention of the Pennsylvania railroad in regard to the stock in the hands of the public. The preferred stock is entitled to 3 per cent per annum before anything is paid on the common, and of the latter the Pennsylvania railroad owns $6,625,800 out of a total of $10,544,200 issued, leaving only $890,400, or 17,808 shares, in the hands of the public. No dividend has been paid on the preferred since the organization of the company in 1902, and the accumulated dividends now amount to nearly 39 per cent, or say, $19 50 a share. This sum, added to the present market value of the stock, would make the latter worth $52 50 a share, or a premium of 5 per cent over par. The 105,600 shares of the preferred outside of the Pennsylvania railroad is held in large blocks by influential people, and the theory has been entertained that some day the Pennsylvania would acquire this stock by an exchange of its own shares on the basis of something like two shares of Valley preferred for one share of Pennsylvania.

Confirmation of the report was received in Pittsburgh yesterday that a New York firm had issued a circular offering $17 50 a share for not less than 51 per cent of the total outstanding common stock of the Tonopah Mining Company of the par value of $1 a share. This probably had something to do with the advance in Tonopah Extension on the Pittsburgh board, which reached $3 55 bid at the close, the highest price ever quoted.

The Teutonic Insurance Company has declared a semi-annual dividend of 6 per cent and an extra dividend of 2 per cent.

The sale of 25 shares Washington National bank at 162 yesterday was the first ever recorded on the Pittsburgh stock exchange.

"Moorhead's Quarterly Record" for January, 1905, is issued. It contains a complete and accurate record of transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange, and a synopsis of the financial statements of corporations whose securities are listed on the exchange. The work is invaluable as a reference book.

The directors of the Rogers Locomotive works have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent on the preferred stock, also a dividend of 1½ per cent on the common stock. The dividends are payable February 1.

The net earnings of Southern Pacific for November increased $212,000.

The net earnings of Chesapeake & Ohio for December increased $132,000.

A director of both Cambria Steel and Pennsylvania Steel companies says that while the gross earnings for both companies for the year just ended December 31, 1904, have been scarcely half what they were in 1903, nevertheless each company has earning in the year a substantial surplus over the dividends.

In the cotton market the decline in prices was reported to be attracting at last large buying orders from foreign spinners and the week's exports of cotton were regarded as highly gratifying. The shipments of the latter cereal for the week rose to 3,180,533 bushels, which are pronounced to be the largest for any week since March, 1903. This revival in the corn movement is of a special importance on account of the languid outward movement of wheat and promises an effective supply in the foreign exchange market.

The total amount of money in circulation during the month of December decreased $4,267,242, but for the year 1904 there was an increase of $103,275,228. The figures in detail as of January 1 compare as follows:

	Jan., 1905.	Jan. 1, 1904.
Gold coin	$ 650,548,528	$ 627,970,533
Gold certificates	466,779,629	421,080,049
Stand. silver dol.	80,030,395	81,873,221
Silver certificates	408,017,227	405,830,290
Sub. silver	102,891,327	97,651,352
Treas. notes 1890	19,940,054	15,828,853
United States notes	342,287,027	343,272,403
Nat. bank notes	449,157,278	417,153,189
Totals	$2,569,621,125	$2,466,345,807

The circulation per capita on January 1 was $31 12, against $31 22 on December 1, 1904; $30 78 on January 1, 1904; $29 43 on January 1, 1903; $28 09 on January 1, 1902; $28 19 on January 1, 1901, and $25 73 on January 1, 1900.

Foreign exchange continued to advance yesterday, and inquiries by foreign bankers showed that there is no abatement in prospect of the outward movement of gold. It is evident however, that the movement of currency has turned in full tide from the interior to New York, the preliminary figures indicating a gain by the banks of upward of $6,000,000. There is a feeling growing up that a large accumulation of reserves at this center is now awaited as an effective opportunity for the offering of large new issues of securities.

The Bond Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—(Special)—District of Columbia 3s, 60s, 1200|121; Philippine 4s, 100 bid. Price ranges were as follows:

	High.	Low.	Last Sale.
Rep. Japanese 6s, s. f.	96	95	95⅝
Do 6s, C., L. & Co.	91½	90½	91
Mexican 4s S. A. Co. certs.	94⅜	....	94
Cuban 5s	104	103½	104
Virginia dfd. 6s	17½	15	15
American Tobacco 6s	110⅝	110½	110½
Do 4s	71	71	71
Atchison gen. 4s	104	103⅝	103⅝
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	101⅜	101¼	101¼
R. & O. gold 5s	109½	109¼	109¼
C., R. & Q. Joint 4s	99¼	99	99¼
C. R. I. & P. col. 4s	82¼	81¾	81¾
Do col. 5s	95⅝	95	95
Col. & Southern 4s	92	91½	91½
Erie gen. 4s	91⅝	91	91
Do con. 4s	99	98⅝	98⅝
Mexican Central 2d inc.	17	16¾	16¾
Northern Pacific 1st 4s	105¾	104½	105¼
Penna. 3½s	104¾	104¼	104¼
Reading gen. 4s	101¾	100⅝	101¾
St. L. I. M. & S 4s	94⅜	94	94
St. L. & S. F. rdg. 4s	88⅝	88⅜	88⅝
Union Pacific 1st 4s	105⅞	105	105
Do con. 4s	114⅝	112⅝	113⅛
U. S. Steel s. f. 5s	92¾	92	92
Do reg.	92⅝	92	92
Wabash deb. "B"	91	90½	90½
Western Maryland 4s	92	91	92

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Spot closed steady and 25 points higher; middling uplands, 7.85c; middling gulf, 7.60c; sales, 540 bales. The range of prices for the day was as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	*6.70	7.03	6.80	7.02
February	*6.82	7.10	7.08	7.10
March	6.89	7.16	6.88	7.15
April	6.98	7.23	6.98	7.22
May	7.02	7.28	7.02	7.26
June	7.12	7.30	7.12	7.30
July	7.15	7.33	7.15	7.33
August	*7.18	7.42	7.12	7.40
September	*7.20	....	....	....
October	*7.20	7.47	7.28	7.48

COMPLETE RECORD OF THE NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings Bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bid.
6400	A. T. & S. F.	88	88	86⅝	87⅛
1600	Do preferred	101¾	101¾	100½	100⅝
1000	Am. Cotton Oil	35⅝	35⅝	34⅝	34⅝
1100	Am. Sugar Ref.	143	143⅞	140⅝	141⅜
	Do preferred	118	119	118	118
2000	Am. Locomotive	37⅝	38	36⅝	36⅞
400	Do preferred	105	106	105	104½
3500	Am. Car & Fdry.	37⅝	38⅜	37⅝	38
700	Do preferred	94⅝	96⅝	93⅝	93½
77900	Amal. Copper	74	75	72⅝	73⅝
1100	Anaconda Copper	168	170	168	168
2100	*Am. S. & Ref.	81½	81⅝	80⅝	80⅝
200	Do preferred	113	113	111	112⅝
100	American Tool	65½	65½	65	65
200	Do preferred	101	101	99½	100
22400	Balto. & Ohio	107	107⅝	105⅞	106
200	Do preferred	96½	96½	96½	95½
13300	Nat. Rap. Trans.	47⅜	47⅝	45⅝	46⅛
4800	Can. Pacific	132	132	131½	131½
25100	Chicago & G. W.	23⅝	23⅞	22⅝	22⅞
1700	Chicago, Gas	99½	99½	97½	97½
	C., C., C. & St. L.	115	....	....	115
1900	Chgo. & Grde.	40⅞	41⅜	38	38
200	Chicago & Alton	42½	42½	42½	42
	Do preferred	....	....	....	....
300	Chicago & N. W.	206½	207	205¼	205¼
5400	Col. Fuel & Iron	47⅜	47⅝	45⅝	46
500	Core Product	20½	20½	20½	20½
100	Do preferred	....	....	....	....
500	Del. & Hudson	....	....	....	....
800	Del. Lack. & W.	53	53	52	52½
	Do 1st pfd	62	62	61	61
	Do 2d pfd	....	....	....	25
2700	Ill. Central	137	137	135½	135½
200	Int. Paper	22½	22½	22½	22½
500	Do preferred	72½	72½	72½	72½
100	Int. Paper	22½	22½	22½	22½
	Do preferred	72½	72½	72½	72½
1000	Lousv. & Nashv	136½	136½	135½	135½
1400	Manhattan	160½	160½	159½	159½
17400	Missouri Pacific	100½	101	99½	99½
1000	M., St. P. & S. S. M.	134	134	134	134
27500	Do preferred	134	134	134	134
12000	Metropolitan	129½	130⅝	127⅞	128
6700	Do Securities	78	78	77½	77½
3300	Mexican Central	23⅝	24	23⅝	23⅝
800	National Lead	25⅝	25⅝	25⅛	25⅛
	Do preferred	98	98	97	97
	Nat. Biscuit	....	....	....	....
	Do preferred	118½	118½	118½	118½
13200	N. Y. Central	134½	134½	133½	133½
	N. J. Central	137	137	135½	135½
4400	N. Y. O. & W.	41	41⅜	40⅞	41
5000	Norfolk & West	59	59	58⅜	58⅜
	Do preferred	....	....	....	....
400	North Amer. Co.	53	53	52½	52½
1400	People's Gas	107	107	106	106
2100	Pacific Mail	45½	45½	44⅝	44⅝
400	Pressed Steel Car	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝
100	Do preferred	90½	90½	90½	90½
35700	Penna. R. R.	132½	132½	131⅝	131⅝
300	P., C., C. & S. L.	77	77	77	77
	Railway Springs	36	36	35	35
	Do preferred	....	....	....	....
84200	Reading	51⅞	52⅜	50⅝	50⅝
	Do 1st pfd	85	85	84	84
22300	Rock Island	27	27⅜	26⅝	26⅝
200	Do preferred	84½	84½	84½	84½
	Republic Iron	....	....	....	....
600	Do preferred	71	71	71	71
21800	Southern Pacific	64⅝	65⅛	63⅝	63⅝
6900	Southern Railway	25⅝	25⅞	25⅛	25⅛
1400	Do preferred	69⅝	69⅝	68⅝	68⅝
11800	St. Paul	173⅝	174⅜	171⅝	171⅝
	Do preferred	....	....	....	....
1000	St. L. & S. W.	25	25	24⅝	25
4000	Do preferred	58⅜	58⅜	58	58
2100	Tenn. Coal & Iron	71	71	70⅝	71
1100	Texas & Pacific	25⅝	25⅝	24⅝	24⅝
	Tol., St. L. & W.	24	24	24	24
200	Do preferred	45	45	45	45
64200	U. S. Steel	29⅜	29⅜	28¾	28¾
52500	Do preferred	92⅞	92⅞	91½	91½
	Do 5 p. c. bonds	102	102	102	102
81300	Union Pacific	114⅝	115⅛	113⅝	113⅝
500	Do preferred	97½	97½	97½	97½
2500	U. S. Rubber	37⅜	37⅜	36⅝	36⅝
400	Do preferred	97½	97½	97½	97½
4400	U. S. Leather	13⅜	13⅜	13⅛	13⅛
4100	Do preferred	91	91	90	90
	U. S. C. I. Pipe	34	34	33	33
	Do preferred	92	92	92	92
300	U. S. Realty	79	79	78	78
600	Wabash	21⅝	21⅝	21⅜	21⅜
600	Do preferred	43⅜	43⅜	43	43
600	W. U. Telegraph	86	86	85½	85½
	W. & L. E.	....	....	....	....
	Do 1st pfd	....	....	....	....
	Do 2d pfd	....	....	....	....
400	Wisconsin Cent.	22¾	22¾	22⅛	22⅛
300	Do preferred	45⅜	45⅜	45	45
200	W. & L. E. 1st pfd.	100	100	100	100
200	Wheeling & L. E.	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
	Federal Mining	....	....	....	....
	Do preferred	12½	12½	12½	12½
	Nat. Steel	27½	27½	27½	27½
1300	Va. Car—Chem.	37⅜	37⅜	37⅜	37⅜
100	Do preferred	100	100	100	100
	Amer. Hide & L.	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
	Do preferred	47	47	46	46

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100	Am. Steel Foundries	....	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝
200	Do preferred	....	35	35	35
100	Allis Chalmers	....	16	16	16
100	Am. Ice Sec.	....	17	16½	16½
1000	Do preferred	....	67	66½	66½
400	American Malt	....	7	6¾	6¾
200	American Woolen	....	25¾	25¾	25¾
400	Do preferred	....	87½	87½	87½
300	Am. Tobacco pfd.	....	146½	146½	146½
1000	Do old stock	....	104	104	104
200	B. R. T.	....	115	115	115
100	Do preferred	....	119	119	119
1000	Chi. Un. Trac.	....	19	19	19
100	Do preferred	....	69	69	69
900	Chi. Ter. Trac.	....	3¾	3½	3½
400	Do preferred	....	14	14	14
100	Col. Southern	....	18½	18½	18½
200	Com. Products	....	17½	17½	17½
100	Do preferred	....	87½	87½	87½
2700	Com. Tobacco pfd.	....	123½	123½	123½
1600	D. & R. G.	....	37⅜	36⅞	36⅞
200	Do preferred	....	90½	90½	90½
2000	Detroit So. Ry.	....	6¾	6¾	6¾
500	Do preferred	....	34	34	34
200	Iowa Central	....	30½	30½	30½
500	Do preferred	....	70½	70½	70½
1000	Kan. City & So.	....	23	23	23
200	Do preferred	....	50	50	50
600	K. C. Ft. S. & Mem.	....	22½	22½	22½
	Long Island Ry.	....	43	43	43
1700	M. S. Shbs.	....	73½	73½	73½
2000	M., K. & T. com.	....	23½	23½	23½
1900	Rubber Goods	....	27	26½	26½
100	Do preferred	....	85	85	85
100	Stone	....	42½	42½	42½
100	Do preferred	....	102	102	102
200	Twin City	....	106	106	106
2000	U. S. C. I. Pipe	....	34	33	33
2000	Do preferred	....	87	87	87
100	Un. Bag & Paper	....	13½	13½	13½
100	Va. Car—Chem.	....	37½	37½	37½
100	Do preferred	....	100	100	100
100	Va. I. C. & C.	....	50	50	50
200	Do 2d pfd.	....	180	180	178

*Bid. †Asked.
Total sales (par value), $7,325.

NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

U. S. reg. 2s, reg.	104½	Japan 6s, reg.	95⅝
Do coupon	104½	L. & N. unif. 4s	103
U. S. 3s, reg.	108½	Man. con. gold 4s	103½
Do coupon	108½	Mexican Cen. 4s	72
U. S. new 4s, reg.	139½	Do 1st inc.	29
Do coupon	139½	M. K. & T. 1st 4s	95
Do 2d reg.	106	Do gen. 4s	75
Do coupon	106	N. Y. C. lines 3½s	104
Atch. gen. 4s, reg.	104	Nor. & W. con. 4s	100
Do adjustment 4s	94	Or. Short Line 5s	130
Balto. & Ohio 4s	104½	Reading gen. 4s	101¾
Can. Southern 2ds	107	St. L. & I. M. con. 5s	110
Central of Ga. 5s	113½	St. L. & S. F. gen. 6s	129
Do 1st inc.	90	Do 4s	88
Chesa. & Ohio 4½s	107	St. L. & S. F. 4s	88
C. & A. Alton 3½s	81	St. L. & S. F. 6s	112
C. B. & Q. 4s	100	Seaboard Air L. 4s	85
C. R. I. & P. 4s	95	South. Pacific 4s	96
C. C. C. & St

HENRY PHIPPS IS SAID TO BE BUYER

No. 949 Penn Avenue May Be Included in Site for $300,000 Building.

DOWNTOWN LEASES SIGNED

It is currently reported that Henry Phipps is the buyer of the Morris Verner property at 949 Penn avenue, the sale of which for $15,000 was reported yesterday. If this is the case it means the erection of a six or eight-story store building or warehouse to cost $300,000. Mr. Phipps already owned 60x160 feet adjoining the Verner lot, and this purchase would give him a site 80x160 feet, extending back to Fayette street. The buildings on the lots are of little value, being old residences. It is said that plans for the proposed building are already being considered and that the details in the structure will be worked out at once so that work may be started early in the spring. This deal, with others recently made, shows the rapid expansion of the Penn avenue district beyond Ninth street, and is certain to have a very noticeable effect on property values before long. The $400,000 hotel of the Iron City Improvement Company, now being erected at Penn avenue and Tenth street, will entirely change the business aspect of that corner, and the two warehouses being built by Thomas J. Keenan just beyond Ninth street in Penn avenue, both of which have been leased to wholesale firms, will, with the proposed Phipps building, make important changes for the better in that neighborhood.

P. V. & C. Is Buying Again.

After over a year of idleness as far as realty buying was concerned, the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston Railway Company has again added to its South Side holdings by the purchase of the Thomas J. Gretton property on the northwest side of Sarah street, near Twenty-ninth street, Twenty-fourth ward. The lot is 40x100 feet and contains approximately 4,360 square feet. This makes the price paid, $22,600, at the rate of $5.18 a square foot. The buildings are of little value.

The sale is reported to the A. J. Harkins property at 24 Frankstown avenue, East Liberty, for a price approximating $35,500. The lot is the third one from the intersection of Frankstown and Penn avenues and is 17.5x84 feet wide, with a depth of 84 feet on the long side, extending back to Penn avenue. A three-story brick building used for business purposes occupies the lot. This is the first sale for months in this part of Frankstown avenue and the price reported paid, $2,257 a front foot, is evidence that the widening of the avenue is having a good effect upon values.

John A. and Allan W. Weiland have purchased from Andrew Popp an improved property 20x73 feet, in Carson street, near Sixteenth street, Twenty-eighth ward, for $10,000.

Leases at Reasonable Rates.

Downtown leases are being signed up at a rapid rate nowadays, but so far as can be learned no sensational advances are being made in the new leases. This was the case with the lease made yesterday by the Commonwealth Real Estate Company to the Smith-Wehner Lithographing Company of the property of W. Dunlap at 206-208 Second avenue. The lease was for a term of years and was graded so that it is but slightly over the old price for the coming year. The building is a four-story brick formerly occupied by the Sheriff Machinery Company. The Smith-Wehner company some time ago leased Henry Davis' lot at First avenue and Cherry alley.

Through the Real Estate Trust Company the store room at 124 Sixth street has been leased to A. L. Klopfer, tailor, for three years at $2,000 a year. The building belongs to George W. Bissell and is now occupied by the Northern Photofone Company, which will vacate at once to give the new lessee possession.

Considerable interest has been aroused in the Fourth ward of Allegheny by a deal which has been pending for two weeks in East Robinson street. Efforts were made about 10 days ago to option the entire square bounded by East Robinson, Morgan and Grantham streets and Carlisle alley. The plot measures about 180x110 feet and is improved with old brick buildings of little value. It is currently reported that the options were being sought in the interest of the J. Heinz Company and that $1,000 hand money was paid down on one of the larger properties, but as far as known no deals have been closed.

Sales Made by Brokers.

Center avenue: The Aronson Realty Company sold for Frank Cranta to Joseph Finkelpearl three brick houses on 20x74 feet, at Center avenue and Arthur street, for $6,000.

Bedford avenue: The Real Estate Trust Company sold for David McCune of Mechanicsburg, O., to Lutellas Richards, 1901 Basford avenue, a brick house on 28x120 feet, for $2,500.

Home street—The Land Trust Company sold for H. S. Hunter and others to the Greene Manufacturing Company 20.8x100 feet, in Home street, Seventeenth ward, for $2,350.

Allegheny: Adam Hoffman of the Manchester Savings and Trust Company sold for Mrs. Katie Schwindt to John H. Beyan a three-room house on 18x50 feet, in McCook street, Eleventh ward, for $675.

Webster avenue: James W. Drape bought at sheriff's sale the interest of Charles R. Kee in an improved lot 18x89 feet, on the south side of Webster avenue, near Devilliers street, Eleventh ward, for $6,800.

Gist street: John G. Bender sold to Herman Obermaier an improved lot 40x50 feet, in Gist street, near Bluff stret, Fourteenth ward, for $5,500.

Wilkinsburg: A. D. Harrison of the Wilkinsburg Real Estate and Trust Company sold for Agnes J. Kellogg to Walter R. Mound 613 North avenue, Wilkinsburg, a seven-room frame house on 25x110 feet, for $4,200. Mr. Harrison also bought from Jessie E. Brown 754 North avenue, Wilkinsburg, a nine-room frame house on 52x110 feet, for $5,750 for a home.

Allegheny: The Real Estate Savings and Trust Company sold for Maggie B. Weaver to Barbara E. Richardson 916 East Diamond street, Allegheny, an improved lot 15x100 feet, for $2,700.

The bureau of building inspection issued permits yesterday as follows: W. S. Haynes, brick veneered stove and dwelling in Second avenue, to cost $12,000; C. G. Mitchell brick dwelling in Jackson street, $18,000; Staffilinger & Reisser, frame dwelling in Sandwich street, $2,500; Mrs. Blatchford, frame dwelling in High street, Thirty-ninth ward, $2,500, and George Huffman, brick veneered dwelling in Aurelia street, $3,200. The Blatchford permit was the first issued in that district since Elliott borough became the Thirty-ninth ward of the city.

L. A. Clark & Co. have sold the property at the southeast corner of Fifth avenue and Marion street for W. L. Sloan to a business man, for $28,000 cash. The lot has a frontage of 28 feet 8½ inches in Fifth avenue, by a depth of 115 feet to Ann street, on which is erected two two-story storerooms and dwellings, and two two-story brick dwellings. Mr. Sloan purchased this corner some years ago for $15,600, and it has been a good revenue producer ever since.

Transfers Recorded.

Walker J M to Emma A James, Nov 2, Bellevue, 60x150, Rodgers ave..... $ 5,000
James Emma A to D Wuesthoff, Dec 1, Bellevue, 60x150, Rodgers Ave..... 6,000
Hay J Walter to Eva D Glover, Nov 2, Avalon, 100x120, City View ave..... 1,075
G M Cypher Land Co Lim to M J McBride, Dec 29, 9th wd, McKpt, 100 x100, Ridge ave..... 1,400
Creese W H to Catherine O'Brien, Dec 31, Sheraden, 25x90, Motor st..... 2,800
Beam B S to Geo L Sickman, Dec 31, Sheraden, 25x100, Zephyr ave..... 3,500
Wilcox John to Jno M Cool, Nov 28, Scott twp, 130x119, Pasture lane..... 2,750
McGowan S L to J C W Simpson, Jan 4, Dravosburg, 90x120, Washington st 6,000
Greer H L to James B Wray, Nov 29, Jefferson twp, 60x120, State road.... 1,000
Thompson L L to M H Keehler, Dec 8, N Braddock, 25x100, Grand View ave. 1,825
Wallace A L to Margaret Bour, Dec 5, Braddock, 65x118, Camp ave..... 5,550
Citizens Land Co to Wm Nowell, Dec 19, 7th wd, McKpt, 25x100, Jenny Lind st 1,100
Clement S B to Emma Yates, Dec 19, Belmont, 35x130, B st..... 2,200
Bowman Real Estate Co to M Wolf Jr, N Versailles, 147x102, Westinghouse av
Roddy Wm P to D R McLain, Jan 6, Bellevue, 60x140, Rodgers ave..... 1,150
Fuller S M to P A Johnston, Dec 17, 2d wd, Alleg, 20x110, Buena Vista st..... 3,000
Amrhein F A to Frank Z Gitzen, Jan 3, L St Clair twp, 48x169, Spring st..... 1,100

Pig Iron Certificates.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—(Special.)—Pig iron quotations at the 11 o'clock call on the produce exchange were:

	Bid.	Ask.
Cash	17.00	
January	17.00	17.10
February	17.00	17.20
March	17.00	17.25
April	17.00	17.30
May	17.00	17.25
June	16.75	17.25
July	16.75	17.25
October	16.50	17.00

Market quiet and steady. No sales. Afternoon call:

	Bid.	Ask.
Cash	16.90	
January	16.90	17.10
February	16.90	17.20
March	17.00	17.20
April	17.00	17.30
May	17.00	17.25
June	16.75	17.25
July	16.75	17.25
October	16.50	17.00

Market steady. No sales.

Wants Supplied
by using Sunday Gazette want ads.

BAD WEATHER AFFECTS THE LOCAL MARKETS

Business Was Paralyzed by the Heavy Snow Fall—Eggs Ready for a Break.

Bad weather had its effect on the local markets yesterday and but little was accomplished in any of the various lines. Retailers were slow about driving out and the heavy snow, which packed all the streets, made hauling so hard they were little disposed to drive around.

The feature of the day was the large receipts of bananas, 14 carloads being reported in the local yards. This is the best time of the year for the banana salesman, as the out-of-town dealers are buying liberally.

In the egg market continued weakness is the order of the day, and it is probable another break in the price of the product will take place early next week. The hens are laying generously all through the western poultry section and stocks are increasing rapidly. Storage eggs are being rushed on the market now in order to get rid of the stock before the western shipments break the market. The only thing which has been delaying the arrival of fresh stock has been unfavorable shipping weather, shippers being backward about sending out their goods while the weather is so close to the zero mark.

Butter is confidently expected to take another turn upward Monday, although dealers are satisfied to let the price stay where it is. It has been a slow market until the last two weeks, and substitutes have been getting in on the butter men to an alarming extent. The last two weeks the butter trade has strengthened up, but dealers do not think this a sufficient cause for another advance.

Flour is still showing weakness and a drop in price is as likely as an advance to conform with miller's rates. All other lines in the grocery trade are holding firm.

Receipts of fruit and produce yesterday were as follows: Apples, 3 cars, making 40; bananas, 14, making 21; celery, 2, making 3; potatoes, 1, making 56; sweet potatoes, 1, making 8.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts.

Receipts of hay and grain yesterday were as follows: Pennsylvania lines, 15 cars hay, 7 cars corn, 6 cars oats, 1 car feed; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 1 car hay; Baltimore & Ohio, 5 cars hay, 2 cars oats, 4 cars corn, 1 car feed.

Bad weather had a depressing effect on the hay and grain market yesterday and the business was almost as light as the receipts. No. 2 timothy hay suffered a little drop and shelled corn advanced a little. Aside from this there were no changes in the market. The hay market is not as strong as it was a couple of weeks ago and the situation generally is a little weaker, except in ear corn. That commodity is as strong as ever, the demand being as great as the supply and the stock still selling at a premium.

No. 1 timothy	$12.75@13.00
No. 2	$11.75@12.25
No. 1 clover	$13.00@13.50
No. 1 mix	$12.50@12.75
Loose from wagon	$14.00@16.00
Straw, oat	$7.75@8.00
do wheat	$7.75@8.00
do rye	$11.50@12.00
No. 2 white oats	35½@36¼c
No. 3 oats	35¼@35½c
No. 4 oats	34½@34¾c
White middlings, No. 1, ton	$22.50@23.00
No. 2 middlings	$21.25@21.75
do brown	$19.50@20.00
Bran, ton	$20.75@21.25
Mixed chop, 2 red	$21.00@21.50
at mill	$1.04@1.05
New yellow shelled	50½@51c
New high mixed	49@49½c
New yellow ear	55@55½c
No. 2 rye, western	88@89c

PROVISIONS

Hams		Breakfast bacon,	
18 lbs and up	9½c	back strips	10c
Over 14 to 18 lbs	9½c	Dry salt sides, extra	
Over 12 to 14 lbs	9¾c	short clears	8c
10 lbs and under	10c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	8¼c
Skinned	10c	do 16 to 20 lbs	8¼c
Boneless boiled	16c	do under 16 lbs	8½c
California	7¼c	Dry salt smoked sides, extra	
Shoulders, N. Y., city cure	8½c	short clears	9c
do skinned	9c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	9¼c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs	10¼c	do 16 to 20 lbs	9½c
do 16 to 12 lbs	9¾c	do under 16 lbs	9¾c
do back strips	9¾c	Lard, pure, tierces	7¾@7¼c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs	11c		
do 10 to 12 lbs	10½c		

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live hens	11@12c	Ducks, ruddy	$1.25
do roosters	6@7c	do red head	$1.75@3.00
do geese	11@12c	do canvas back	$2.75@3.00
do ducks	13@14c	Impt. golden plover, doz	$5.50
Dressed hens	14@15c	do black plover	$4.50
do roosters	10@11c	English pheasants, pair	$3.25
do turkeys	20@23c	Rebs birds, doz	$1.25
do spring chickens	15@18c	Snappers, per lb	9@10c
do Long Island ducklings	20c	Suckling pigs, lb	10@12c
do ducks	16@17c	Pigeons, doz	90c@$1.00
do capon, lb	25@27c		
Squab, doz	$4.00		
do No. 2	$3.75		

GROCERIES.

Flour.		do 2-lb carton	6.20c
Fancy spg. patent, quarters, in paper	$6.25@6.30	do 5-lb bags	6.20c
Fancy winter patent	$5.80@6.00	do pow'd xxxx	6.20c
Straight win	$5.40@5.50	do cut loaf	6.30c
Rye	$4.65@4.70	do cubes	6.30c
Graham, 10-lb bags	$2.50	do coff. A	5.90c
Cornmeal, bbl	$3.10	do No. 1 yellow	5.70c
10-lb bales	$1.75	do No. 2 yellow	5.60c
Buckwheat	$2.80	Beans.	
Rolled oats, bbl	$4.10	Navy, choice H. P.	$1.90@1.95
do kegs	$2.25	Red kidney	$3.00@3.10
Roasted Coffee.		Cal. lima, lb	5¼@5½c
Rio	14@14½c	Peas, dried, bu	$1.25@1.35
Santos	20@24c	do split, lb	3½c
Maracaibo	15½@16c	do marrowfat, bu	$2.00@2.10
Peaberry	18@18½c	Oil, carbon, 110 deg	11½c
Golden Rio	17½c	do headlight	12½c
Caracas	20@20½c	do water white	13c
Standard, lbs	13.55c	do Ohio W. W. 150 deg	12½c
High grade	18½@19½c	do Elaine	16c
Molasses, fancy refined	36@36c	do special brands	26@43c
do choice	21@34c	Rice, ex-fancy head, lb	6@6½c
do open ket	37@39c	do fancy Japan	4@4½c
Syrup.		do choice, Carolina	4½@5½c
Fancy syrup	28@30c	Salt, No. 1 bbl	$1.10
Maple sugar, gal	$1.40	do No. 2 extra	$1.20
Sug. and cans	24@25c	do gran. rock	95c
Prime	24@25c	do packet	$1.65@1.75
½-lb cans, doz	$1.00	do dairy	$1.50
¼-lb cans, doz	$1.10	Lentils, fancy	6c
5-lb cans, doz	$1.85	6-O." lb	4½@5c
10-lb cans, doz	$3.40	Sauerkraut, 40-gal. cask	$5.00
Maple, gal	70c@$1.00	do 10-gal. keg	$2.25
Oatmeal, bbl	$5.25		
do kegs	$2.75		
Sugar, sts. gran	6.05c		
do bags	6.05c		

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sts. pie	$1.10	Raspberries	85@95c
do pie, gal	$2.50@3.00	Gooseberries	85@90c
do California, lb. C	21.65@2.25	Tomatoes, fancy	$1.15@1.35
do Mary-land	$1.45@1.65	do standard	$1.05@1.10
do California, Y. F	$1.80@2.00	do gal	$2.00@2.50
Corn, fancy	$1.10@1.20	Succotash, 1-lb cans	$1.25@1.40
do stan	90c@$1.20	Baked beans, cans, tomato sc	75@95c
Cherries, Cal	$2.50@2.75	Salmon, doz	95c@$2.00
Lima beans	$1.25@1.45	do red, 1-lb flats	$1.00@1.80
do soaked	75@80c	do red, 1-lb flats	$1.65@2.00
String beans, 2-lb	70c	do pink, 1-lb talls	$1.81@2.10
do 3-lb	95c	Chipped beef	$2.25@2.75
String beans	$1.25@1.75	Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans	$2.40@2.45
Peas, marrowfat	88@90c	do 1-lb cans	$1.30@1.35
do early June	92@95c	Mackerel, broiled	$1.90@2.50
do soaked	85@85c	Sardines, domestic, ¼s	3.45@3.60
Apples, N. Y. gal. cans	$2.15@2.25	do ½s	5.45@6.00
Pineapples	$1.25@2.25	do mustards, ¼s	$2.60
Plums, California	$1.55@1.60	do French, ¼s	9@18.50

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messinas	$3.00@3.25	Satsuma, box	$2.30@2.75
Oranges, Florida	$2.50@2.75	Malaga grapes	$5.00@6.00
Navel	$3.00@3.50	do Catawba, 4-lb	10@11c
Cocoanuts, bags	$3.50@4.00	Grape fruit	$3.50@4.00
do doz	65@75c	Apples, fancy, Kings, bbl	$3.00@3.50
Figs, cartons	7½@8c	do Baldwin	$2.25@2.50
do layers	8@12c	do Palisades (Col.) box	$2.25
do washed, stuffed, doz	$2.25	do other varieties	$2.25@2.50
Dates, cases	5@5c	Choice	$1.50@2.25
Bananas 1st	$1.50@2.00	Limes, per 100	75c@$1.00
do 2nds	$1.00@1.50	Pears, Keffers, Ohio and N. Y., bbls	$2.00@2.50
Pineapples, smooth Cayennes	$3.50@4.00	do Cal. box	$3.00
do red Spanish	$4.00@3.50	Kumquats, qt	25@30c
Tangerines, Fla., box	$2.50@3.00		
do ½ box	$1.25@1.50		
Mandarines, box	$2.50@2.75		

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.		do imported	27@27½c
Prints	31@31½c	do Limberger, new	13½@14c
Tubs	30½@31c	do 5-lb pkg	14½@15c
Creamy	26½@27½c	Neufchatel, per box	90c@$1.00
Dairy	22½@23½c	Shafford, box	95c
Cheese, N. Y. full crm, new	13@13½c	Eggs, selected	28c
do Ohio crm	12½@13c	do candied	26@27c
do ¾ cream new	11@11½c	do storage	20@21c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs	15@15½c		
do block	14@14½c		

DRIED FRUIT.

Apricots, evap., bags	10@12c	Raisins, Muscatel, 4 and 4 crown 50-lb boxes	6@6½c
do 25-lb boxes	10½@12½c	do Ondaria	5@5½c
Apples, bulk	6¾@7c	Valencia	8@8½c
do 1-lb cartons	7½@8c	do Cal. 1-lb	7@7½c
Peaches	7@10½c	Currants, cleaned, 25 and 4-lb pkgs	6½@6¾c
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkg	7½@7¾c	Prunes	3@8c

SOUTHERN GREEN STUFF

Tomatoes, Fla crate	$5.00@7.50	Head lettuce, bbl	$3.50@4.00
do Cal	$3.00@4.00	Escarole, bbl	$3.50@4.00
Shallots, doz	40@50c	Spinach, doz	80@90c
Carrots, doz	60@65c	Radishes, doz	15@25c
Endive, bbl	$3.50@4.00	Green beans, ½ bbl hampers	$2.00@2.50
Fla. lettuce, ½-bbl hampers	$2.00@2.50		

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, bu., store	55@60c	Spinach, do bu hamp'rs	60@75c
Jersey sweets, bbl	$2.75@4.00	Honey, new	18@19c
do bbl	$1.75@4.00	Extra Celery	15c
do hamp'rs	$1.40@1.50	do Mister's, 12 sec	15½c
do crates	$1.25@1.30	Beets, bbls	$1.50@1.75
Onions, yellow Danvers, bbl	$2.60@2.80	Popcorn, lb	4@5c
do bu	$1.00@1.10	Eggplant, Florida, crates	$3.00@3.50
Spanish, per crate	$1.75@1.85	Squash, marrow-fats, bbl	$1.25@1.50
Carrots, bbl	$1.50@1.75	do Hubbard, bbl	$1.50@2.00
do hamp'rs	90c@$1.00	Rutabagas	$1.10@1.25
Parsnips, bbl	$1.50@1.75	Mushrooms, per lb	35@40c
Cucumbers, Boston doz	$1.75@2.00	Cauliflower, Cal., baskets	60@70c
Cabbage, domestic, bbl	$1.00@1.25	Garlic, lb	7@8c
do bu	$1.00@1.25	Cranberries, per crate	$1.75@2.25
do Savoy, bbl	$1.25@1.50	Horseradish, bbl	$5.00@6.00
do German sour, ton	$14.00@15.00	Turnips, bu	50@60c
do special brands	25@30c	do bbl	$1.75@2.00
Celery, per doz	25@30c	Watercress, doz	45@50c
do Cal	50@60c	Lettuce, baskets	35@40c
do Golden Heart, crate	$4.25@4.50	Head lettuce, bbl	$4.50@5.00
Brussels sprouts, quart	12½@15c		

NUTS.

Filberts	11@12c	do fancy, lb	8@9c
Eng. walnuts	12@15c	do dried Italian, lb	7c
do com	9@10c	Shellbarks, bu	$1.50@1.75
S. S. almonds	16@18c	do new	$1.75@2.00
Tarr. almonds	12@13c	Pecans	10c
Mixed	11@12c	Peanuts, fancy roasted	$1.60
Cocoanuts	9@11c	do choice	$1.30
Italian chestn'ts	9@10c		
do domestic, choice, lb	6@8c		

HIDES.

No. 1 green steer, heavy	8c	Green salt or cured. No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs	11c
do light, under 60 lbs, and cows, all weights	8c	do No. 2	9c
No. 1 green bulls	6c	Calfskin, No. 1	12c

HERBS.

Sage, dos	20@25c	Sweet marjoram, doz	20@25c
Summer savory, doz	20@25c	Lemon thyme, doz	20@25c

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu	$8.10@8.20	Millet, Western	$1.25@1.50
do mammoth	$8.10@8.20	Southern	$1.75@1.80
do crimson	$4.50@4.75	Grass, Hungarian	90c@$1.00
do white Dutch	$6.75@7.50	do lawn, lb	16@18c
Alsike	$5.50@9.25	do blues, 14-lb bu	$1.25@1.50
Alfalfa	$8.50@9.00	do red top, 14-lb bu	$1.10@1.60
		Timothy	$1.40@1.50

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl	$26.00	Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl	$16.50
do half bbl	$11.50	do half bbls	8.50
do quar. bbl	$6.00	do quar. bbls	$4.25
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl	$20.00	do 10-lb pails	$1.90
do half bbls	$10.50	do No. 2 bbls	$9.00
do quar. bbls	$5.25	do 10-lb pails	$1.85
do 10-lb pails	$2.40	Lake herring, 100 lbs	$3.25
do 10-lb pails	$1.75	do 20-lb	$1.35
		do 10-lb	90c

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, Michigans	40@45c	Sweets, K. D., Jersey, bbl	$1.50@2.75
do Ohio, carlots	40@45c	do crate	$1.00@1.05
do less	45@50c	Rutabagas, bu	30@35c
Onions, bbl	$2.25@2.40	Carrots, ton	$15.00@16.00
do bu	80@90c	Parsnips, ton	$18.00@20.00
Cabbage, G. seed, ton	$13.00@14.00	Squash, Hubbard, ton	$10.00@12.00
do domestic, ton	$8.00@8.50	do marrow, ton	$8.00@10.00
Apples, fancy, bbl	$2.25@3.00	Turnips, bbl	$1.25@1.50
do choice, bbl	$1.25@1.50	Beets, bbl	$1.50@1.75
do cooking, bbl	$1.00@1.25	Celery, Cal. Golden Heart	$4.00

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Butter firm. Receipts, 4,854 packages. Renovated, commons to extra, 15@22c; western factory held, common to choice, 14@18c. Cheese firm, unchanged. Receipts, 624 packages. Eggs steady, unchanged. Receipts, 5,800 cases.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 6.—Butter firm; prints 1c higher; extra western creamery, 26c; do nearby prints, 25c. Eggs firm and in good demand; fresh nearby, 32c at mark; do western, 31c. Cheese firm and in good demand; New York full creams, fancy, 12¼@12½c; do choice, 11¾@12c; fair to good, 11@11½c.

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—On the produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creameries, 11½@22c; dairies, 17½@24c. Eggs steady at mark (cases included), 20@24c; firsts, 24c; prime firsts, 25c; extra, 26c. Cheese steady at 11@12c.

Financial and Trade Notes.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—National bank notes received today for redemption, $1,136,962; government receipts from internal revenue, $1,021,802; customs, $356,748; miscellaneous, $95,865; expenditures, $1,450,000.

DEMAND FOR CASH WHEAT STRENGTHENED MARKET

High Point on May for Day Was Reached at 115⅛—Corn, Oats and Provisions Up.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Brisk demand for cash wheat had a strengthening effect on future deliveries today. The May option closed with a gain of ⅞c. Corn is up ⅝@¾c. Oats show a shade advance. Provisions are up 2½@10c.

Notwithstanding increased shipments from Argentine, the wheat market here opened with a fair degree of firmness, May being up ⅛@⅜c at $1.14½@1.14⅝. The strengthening feature was the continued light movement in the northwest. Although a comparison of receipts today with those of the corresponding day a year ago did not show a material falling off, due to more liberal marketing, the figures were enough smaller to keep alive some hope in bull traders. Business, however, was much restricted during the early part of the session, bit traders being boarishly inclined and waiting to avail themselves of a possible slump. Weakness of online grains brought out some profit taking in wheat as long as it lasted. Offerings were not readily taken and in consequence prices eased off a trifle. May touched to $1.14¼. Later in the day a firmer tone developed, mainly as a result of reports of improved demand for cash wheat at all the principal centers. A factor that helped to increase bullish sentiment was Bradstreet's report showing exports of wheat and flour of 1,412,000 bushels for the week.

The high point on May for the day was reached at $1.15⅛. The market closed strong with May at $1.15. Operations of wheat and flour were equal to 191,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 800,000 bushels, compared with 650,000 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 364 cars, against 229 cars last week and 474 cars a year ago.

Early in the session the corn market exhibited considerable weakness, being subjected to renewed selling by several prominent room operators, but a firmer tone in the wheat situation were liberal local receipts and lower prices at Liverpool. Trading increased in volume as the session advanced, a local operator being a heavy purchaser. A firmer tone developed late in the day, partly in sympathy with the strength of wheat. May opened unchanged to a shade higher at 44⅜c to 44¾c, sold between 43¾c and 44¾c, and closed at 44⅛@44⅜c. Total receipts were 461 cars, with two of contract grade. General tipsters were combined with some short selling, causing an early break of ½c in the oats market, but nearly all the loss was subsequently regained in covering by shorts. May opened unchanged to ⅛c lower at 30¾c to 30⅞c, sold between 30¾c and 30⅞c and closed at 30⅞@30¾c. Local receipts were 76 cars.

At the start weakness of coarse grains had a depressing effect on the provisions market. Lower prices at the yards were an additional bear factor. Later the market rallied to sympathy with grains, the close showing fair gains. Final quotations on May pork were up 12½@15c at $13.65; May lard were up 2½@5c at $7.42½@7.45, and ribs were 2½@5c higher at $6.62½.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 30 cars; corn, 440 cars; oats, 71 cars; hogs, 21,000 head.

The leading futures as reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., Farmers Bank building, Pittsburgh members Chicago board of trade, ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT					
NO. 2					
May	1 14⅜	1 15⅛	1 14⅛	1 15	1 14⅝
July	98⅝	99⅛	98⅛	98⅝	98⅝
CORN					
NO. 2					
Jan	41¾	41¾	41⅜	41⅜	41⅝
May	44⅝	44⅝	43⅞	44⅛	44⅜
July	44⅝	44⅝	44⅛	44⅜	44⅝
OATS					
NO. 2					
Jan	29¼	29¼	29	29⅛	29⅜
May	30⅜	30⅜	30⅛	30⅜	30⅝
July	30⅛	30⅛	30	30⅛	30⅜
MESS PORK					
Jan	12 12½	12 25	12 12½	12 25	12 15
May	12 50	12 65	12 43	12 65	12 52½
LARD					
Jan	6 55	6 65	6 55	6 65	6 55
May	6 90	6 95	6 77½	6 90	6 82½
July	6 99	7 00	6 90	7 00	6 90
SHORT RIBS					
Jan	6 27½	6 32½	6 27½	6 32½	6 25
May	6 57½	6 62½	6 52½	6 62½	6 60
July	6 70	6 75	6 70	6 72½	6 72½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour steady. No. 2 spring wheat, $1.10@1.15; No. 3, 98c@$1.12. No. 2 red, $1.16@1.16. No. 2 corn, 42½c; No. 3 yellow, 42½c; No. 2 oats, 29½c; No. 3 white, 30@30½c. No. 2 rye, 77c. No. 2 barley, 52@53c. No. 1 flaxseed, $1.12½; No. 1 Northwestern, $1.13½. Prime timothy seed, $2.75. Mess pork, per barrel, $12.75@13. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6.87½@6.90. Short rib sides, loose, $6.25@6.50. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, 6@6½c. Short clear sides, boxed, $6.60@6.70. Whisky, basis of high wines, $1.24; clear corn whisky, $1.24; straight rye, $1.24.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	17,200	21,000
Wheat, bu	41,000	21,000
Corn, bu	261,000	256,000
Oats, bu	194,000	97,000
Rye, bu	3,000	1,000
Barley, bu	5,000	1,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Flour—Receipts, 18,700 barrels; exports, 7,424 barrels; sales, 5,000 barrels; dull and steady. Rye flour steady. Buckwheat flour dull, $2 65@2 75 cwt. Cornmeal steady. Rye nominal. Barley dull. Wheat—Receipts, 225,000 bushels; exports, 29,961 bu; spot firm. No. 2 red, $1 21½ elevator and $1 22½ f o b afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1 23½ f o b afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, $1 23½ f o b afloat. Options moderately active all day, wheat was lower, firm, due to further southwest rain. Closed steady. Wall street bull support and quiet offerings. The other features: Closing prices were ½@¾c net lower. No 2 red, $1 12@1 16 f o b afloat; $1 14@1 16 elevator; $1 15@1 17 f o b afloat; No 1 northern, $1 20 f o b afloat. No 2 hard, $1 15 f o b afloat. No

UNANIMOUS FOR TWO NEW COURTS

Bar Association Reports That Three Are Needed, but Will Only Ask for Two.

FIGURES THAT TELL THE STORY

If the attorneys of Allegheny county are consulted and their unanimous report and recommendation is taken into consideration by the legislature and the governor of the state, Allegheny county will have two new courts in operation before the year is out. The special committee appointed to investigate the conditions and possible need of additional court or courts for the county, was favorable to two courts, and the Bar association, without a dissenting voice, approved the recommendations.

The report shows an exhaustive study of conditions and goes into history of the cases already pending before the present three tribunals of common pleas. One member in a jocular manner, which was intended to be retroactive, made a speech opposing it, but it was in reality a satirical effort to absolutely convince all of the dire necessity for new courts and new judges. Many of the ablest lawyers at the bar supported the report in informal discussions, and all were satisfied the legal business of Allegheny county was in such bad shape that unless the legislature acted soon, litigation would be badly hampered.

Bill to Be Prepared.

The members of the committee are H. M. Scott, chairman; E. Y. Breck, secretary; C. A. Pagan, C. C. Dickey and George B. Gordon. The president of the Bar association, George Herriott, was authorized to appoint a committee of 21 members, which will include the members of the legislature, to prepare a bill and urge its passage. Attorney L. B. Cook, who has charge of the bill in the house, will probably be chairman of this committee.

The report on the need for additional courts follows:

"The records of the courts of common pleas Nos. 1 and 2 for the five years immediately preceding the creation of the common pleas No. 3, show that the total number of suits entered in the two courts during that period was 28,975. The records of three courts for the five years last passed show that the total number of suits entered in the three courts during that period was 51,847. This is an increase of 22,872 suits entered during the last five years over the former period, or about 79 per cent.

"There are now between 2,000 and 2,100 cases at issue and untried in the common pleas No. 1; between 1,200 and 1,300 in the common pleas No. 2 and between 1,200 and 1,300 in the common pleas No. 3.

"It is estimated that if no more cases are added to the issue dockets, it will take the common pleas No. 1 about three and one-half years, and the common pleas Nos. 2 and 3 about two years to dispose of the cases now at issue and awaiting jury trial.

Actual Denial of Justice.

"No argument is needed to show that this condition of the business of the courts is an actual denial of justice to parties interested in suits required to be tried by jury.

"Besides it places the judges in the false position of not complying with the provisions of section 22 of the the act of assembly of 24, February, 1806, 4 Sm. L. 275, requiring the judges to see that all actions in their respective courts shall be reached and have a fair opportunity of a trial within one year after they shall have been commenced.

"The judges hold jury trials in two rooms of each court continuously from the middle of September to the middle of June of every year, except while sitting in the quarter sessions, and their duties have been otherwise greatly increased. Thus, the amendments to the equity rules adopted by the supreme court on January 15, 1884, and October 5, 1891, require equity causes to be tried by the judges in person. While this is an immeasurable improvement over the old practice, it throws on the judges a large amount of business formerly transacted by masters in chancery. The common pleas No. 2 has established the commendable practice of requiring all divorce cases to be tried by the judges in person, which work was formerly done by masters and commissioners. Our criminal court, which is in continuous session throughout the year, requires the constant service of two common pleas judges.

Constant Increase in Litigation.

"Moreover the records show that the average annual increase in the number of suits entered in our three courts of common pleas during the last five years, has been over 11 per cent, or about 949 cases. These additional suits alone are sufficient to fill one additional average size appearance or continuance docket every year.

"Although this astonishing increase in the business of the courts is sufficient to warrant your committee in recommending that the governor and legislature be requested to provide three additional courts of common pleas for Allegheny county, yet we have concluded not to recommend so many at this time. We have considered that in the usual course of procedure it will probably be from four to six months after the new courts are created before they will have cases ready for trial by jury, and that during this period the new judges can be called in to aid in disposing of the accumulated cases in the present courts. We think the judges of the present courts will gladly avail themselves of the assistance and co-operation of the new judges to expedite business in this way.

"Your committee respectfully and unanimously recommends that the Allegheny County Bar association request the governor and legislature of 1905 to provide two additional courts of common pleas for the county of Allegheny as soon as it can be done.

Consider the Claims Conservative.

"In making this recommendation we believe a comparison of the percentages of the increase in the population and business of this county in recent years shows that we have kept well within the bounds of conservatism. Thus, while we recommend an increase of 66 2-3 per cent in the working force of our judiciary, the business of our courts of common pleas has increased over 79 per cent; the population of the county has increased about 44 per cent; the taxables have increased about 75 per cent; the property valuation has increased 127 per cent, and the general business of the county, as measured by the bank exchanges, has increased practically 200 per cent.

"Your committee further recommends that the governor and legislature of 1905 be requested to enact a law increasing the number of jurors that may be called on one venire from 60 to 100, in counties having three or more courts of common pleas, so as to enable the courts to summon as many jurors as may be necessary for the prompt disposition of business.

MUST PAY DOUBLE LIABILITY.

Decision Affecting Stockholders of the Failed Aultman-Miller Company is Delivered.

AKRON, O., Jan. 6.—Judge George Hayden today rendered a decision in the state bankruptcy case of the Aultman-Miller Company, affecting over $1,000,000 worth of stock. Many stockholders demurred to paying the double liability obligation, owing to the recent amendment to the constitution in that connection, because the failure occurred after the amendment was adopted. On the principle that the debts were incurred and the company was in existence before the amendment abolishing the double liability was adopted, Judge Hayden held the stockholders must stand for double the value of their shares.

The question will be carried to the supreme court, and if the decision is sustained there, it will affect at least $50,000,000 worth of stock in Ohio.

Wants State Constabulary.

Gov. Pennypacker's recommendation that a state constabulary be established is approved by District Attorney Stewart, but in some of the details he differs with the governor. The governor recommended 30 constables for each county, but the district attorney thinks that some counties need fewer than others. For instance, he said Allegheny county, with its many foreigners, "more or less regardless of the law," required more constables than counties not having the foreigners. He suggests that the number of constables be based on the population, one for every 75,000 or 100,000 inhabitants.

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WEINTRAUB JURY FAILED TO AGREE

D. S. Mitchell Tried for Taking Away His Gifts to a Young Woman.

JURORS REBUKED BY JUDGE

The jury in the case in which Leo Weintraub was charged with receiving stolen goods from members of the Gardner-Hunter gang disagreed, and was discharged by the court. The jury was out all night wrestling with the facts, and when court convened came into the court room and notified Judge Brown that an agreement was impossible. The jurors were then discharged.

William Hunter, one of the members of the gang, turned state's evidence, and said that Weintraub had purchased the goods and knew they were stolen. The defendant said he refused to purchase any more goods after he had learned they had been stolen.

In criminal court D. S. Mitchell of Cato street, Oakland, was acquitted of a charge of stealing $500 worth of clothing from Mary Sherren of 519 Grant avenue, Allegheny. The case was a peculiar one, inasmuch as the defendant had given the prosecutrix the clothes he took away from her.

He said he had been a friend of the woman's and had taken an interest in her. She was a frequenter of disorderly houses, the defendant said, and he had given her the clothing on a promise that she would not go there any more. He said he told her that if she did he would take the clothes away, and that she agreed to this. The prosecutrix said she had no agreement with Mitchell. The defendant said he heard that the girl had gone to another house, and he went to her room and took the clothing, which resulted in the suit.

Judge Rebukes the Jury.

In the case of J. Rosenstein against Albert Malone, a driver for a downtown department store, Judge Collier took occasion to give the jury a severe scoring. Malone was charged with committing an assault on Rosenstein in the West End by hammering him with a whip. The evidence and the charge of the court was directly against the defendant, and the jury returned a verdict of not guilty and divided the cost. After rebuking the jury the court put Malone under $500 bail to keep the peace for a year, saying that such an assault was awful, and that the jury was worse.

Arguments were heard in the United States circuit court on a bill to restrain the issuing of an execution on the balance of a judgment of $5,006 in the case of Jutte against Baumgartner & Co. of New York.

Baumgartner & Co. are contractors engaged by W. C. Jutte for the erection of his home, completed in 1902. He was to pay as the work progressed, but on completion there remained unpaid $10,000, which was to be paid in 30 days. The money was withheld, however, owing to some dissatisfaction, and an agreement was reached by which Jutte was to pay $10,146 66.

Jutte's counsel argued that the work was unsatisfactory, that immediate repairs were necessary which amounted to more than the sum named.

Argue for a New Trial.

In the same court arguments were heard for a new trial in the case of Joseph Lamplighter, a brakeman, against the Pittsburgh, Shawmut & Northern railroad. At the last term Lamphere, who was blown from the top of a car and had both legs cut off, was awarded $13,500 for his injuries.

The case of Bechtel against Humbert and others was also argued for a new trial. John A. Bechtel claims that through false misrepresentations he was induced to put $1,000 into the Baldwin Automobile Company of Coulterville, which failed. He used for $5,000 and the case was non-suited.

At a session of juvenile court Raymond Hart, 11 years old, was sent to the Pennsylvania Training School for Feebleminded Children at Polk, Pa. The boy was brought into court on a petition presented by his mother, who alleges he is an idiot. She says the father is a common laborer, and having three other children is unable to give the boy the proper care.

T. Lee Clark filed a petition asking that an order be made requiring Catherine Ann Huddleston, executrix of the estate of Clara S. Huddleston, to apply to orphans' court for an order of sale of real estate. The petitioner avers the estate of the late Clara S. Huddleston is indebted to him to the amount of $50,000; that he had secured judgment for a portion of the amount prior to the death of Mrs. Huddleston, but that writs of execution had been stayed on a rule granted to show why she should not be let into a defense.

Estate for Son and a Daughter.

The will of Rose Ryan of Pittsburgh leaves an unestimated estate to her son, William, the Rev. Father James Ryan and daughter, Rosalia Ryan, to share alike. At the death of either of the beneficiaries the property is to go to the other.

Herman Karpeles was appointed receiver for the Braddock Baking Company of Braddock on the petition of the Pittsburgh Milling Company, filed in common pleas court No. 2. The petitioner states that the defendant company is in its debt to the extent of $4,000 and admits that it is insolvent.

A petition was filed by P. F. Jones asking that a commission be appointed to look after Mrs. Margaret Martin of 914 Federal street, Allegheny. The petitioner states that for the past two weeks the woman has been insane, and that her welfare and others request her restraint.

On the criminal court trial list for next week are the names of three men who are charged with murder. On Monday the case of Thomas Stork and Robert Smothers, policemen, who are charged with killing William O'Donnell, is on the list. O'Donnell was a prisoner at Central station, and the police are charged with beating him and causing his death.

On Wednesday Ervin Zatmay will be put on trial. He is charged with stabbing a fellow countryman to death at Chestwick.

A petition in bankruptcy was filed by Alexander W. Gilmour of Young township, Indiana county. He gives his liabilities as $3,650 and his assets as $200. A like petition was filed by Leander Long, a painter of New Castle. His debts are given as $7,463 74 and his assets as $2,043.

Executions issued: Frank H. Guffey vs. Gotlieb Glinkey, $660; D. R. McNaught vs. J. L. Atwell and Millicient Atwell, $302 50; same vs. George and Nellie King, $115 47; Guarantee Loan and Savings association vs. Dennis McMackin, $1,894 47; Samuel R. Rosemond vs. John W. Rosemond, $319; S. L. Webb vs. M. T. Wallace and J. G. Lane, $189 65; Mary E. Young vs. Eva B. and Harry Jones, $2,124 66.

GIVEN CROSSING RIGHTS.

Privileges in Allegheny County Are Granted to the Pittsburgh, Shawmut and Northern.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 6.—The board of railroad commissioners has determined that the Pittsburgh, Shawmut & Northern Railroad Company may cross highways in the town of Portville, Cattaraugus county, the towns of Genesee, Wirt and Friendship, Allegheny county, and the villages of Bolivar and Richburg, Allegheny county, as it is now constructed across the highways.

There was no opposition except to a grade crossing at Main street in Bolivar, the village asking that an under crossing be constructed, and the railroad insisting that a practicable under crossing could not be constructed.

NEARBY POSTMASTERS CONFIRMED BY SENATE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—The senate today confirmed the following nominations of postmasters: Pennsylvania, James R. Underwood, Roscoe; Arthur N. Rider, Freedom; Millard F. Mecklem, Rochester; R. P. Williams, McDonald; Samuel W. Hamilton, Vandergrift; Nelson B. Duncan, Zelionople. West Virginia, William R. Brown, West Union.

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DENIAL IS MADE BY BEEF TRUST

Case of Government vs. Swift & Co. Is Argued in the Supreme Court.

CLAIM FACTS ARE LACKING

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Argument in the case of Swift & Co. vs. the United States, known as the beef trust conspiracy case, was begun before the supreme court of the United States today by Attorney John S. Miller of Chicago, in behalf of the packers. He attacked the bill of the government as insufficient in its failure to allege the facts necessary to constitute a cause of action and said that the charges made are not facts, but conclusions of law; that the commerce charged is not interstate or foreign commerce, and that even if it be interstate commerce the facts given constitute no violation of law.

He said an injunction had been prayed for and secured from the United States circuit court for the northern district of Illinois under the Sherman anti-trust act and, quoting the decree of the court making permanent the injunction, Mr. Miller said it merely adds the prohibition of the court to that of congress, leaving the packers to ascertain whether individual acts will be in contempt of the court's order. He contended that the case presents an interference in business such as never before has been undertaken.

Wanted Time and Place Specified.

The charges, he said, are of the most general character and do not specify time and place. He did not believe, therefore, that the charges could stand at all, and he quoted the indictments in the whisky cases to show that charges much more specific than are here made were considered insufficient.

"It is alleged," interrupted Justice White, "that your clients' agents combined to refrain from bidding, in order to put prices down, and again agreed to put them up; do you think there should have been a specification of hour and place?"

"Yes, your honor," responded Mr. Miller. "If the government had these facts why should it not have given them?"

"Did you ask for a bill of particulars?" inquired Justice Harlan, and Mr. Miller replied in the negative, saying that the defendants had filed a demurrer in the case.

Mr. Miller said if the packing industry could be interfered with as proposed in this case, the manufacturing industries could be similarly regulated, "and thus your will end," he added, "the federal courts regulating a considerable part of the commerce of the country."

Not Interstate Commerce.

He contended there is no interstate commerce involved because the business of the packers, including the purchase of cattle and the sale of the meat, is confined entirely to Chicago. The shipment, he said, is no part of the purchase or sale.

When Mr. Miller concluded Attorney General Moody began. It was idle, he said, to discuss the contention that the charges of the bill are not connected one with another. Be that, he added, as it may, the purpose of the suit is single and all the separate parts of the bill are interdependent for the accomplishment of that end. He also maintained the constitutionality of the provision of the bill asking for discovery of the books of the packers. Mr. Moody had scarcely begun when the court adjourned until Monday.

At the beginning of Mr. Miller's presentation of the case he was interrupted by Justice Holmes, who said he is the holder of stock in the old union stock yards in Chicago and also in the Kansas City yards, and inquired if they were involved in the case. Mr. Miller replied that they were not.

Well Preserved

Women often astonish new acquaintances, who are introduced to a large family of strong boys and healthy girls, who call this young looking woman mother. It is popularly supposed that maternity is the foe of beauty, and the worn and faded face of many a mother seems to warrant the belief. But it is hard to believe that nature should compel a woman to sacrifice the rightful dower of her beauty in order to carry out a natural function of her being. And nature does not. The pains and sufferings incident to motherhood are, to a large extent, unnatural. This is proved by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which prevents and cures nausea, tranquilizes the nerves, encourages the appetite, induces refreshing sleep, and makes the baby's advent practically painless.

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SENATE FINALLY CONFIRMS CRUM

Negro Is at Last Made Collector of Customs at Port of Charleston, S. C.

TILLMAN FOUGHT TO THE END

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—The nomination of W. D. Crum, a negro, to be collector of customs for the port of Charleston, S. C., was confirmed by the senate today, by a vote of 33 to 17. Crum had been nominated by the president three times and in addition had received three recess appointments. He is now serving under the last of those recess appointments. Confirmation was opposed by Senator Tillman, who objected to the appointment of a negro.

Senator Tillman made a speech devoted almost entirely to the question of the constitutional right of the president to make a recess appointment when no actual recess had occurred, the senate having adjourned one session and begun another at noon of the same day. He introduced at the last session of congress a resolution on the subject of constructive recesses, which was referred to the committee on the judiciary. Senator Platt of Connecticut, chairman of that committee, said the resolution had been referred to a sub-committee and that he expected a report would be made later.

The race issue played a very insignificant part in the debate, which was participated in by fully a dozen senators.

When Crum receives his commission he will be entitled to receive the salary which has accumulated since his first appointment.

THREE KILLED BY TRAINS.

Coachman Met Instant Death While Returning from Driving Children to School—Accident at Edgewood.

Louis Kinzel, aged 45, a coachman employed by W. C. Gundelfinger of Sewickley, was killed by a train on the Ft. Wayne railroad between Osborne and Sewickley yesterday morning. He had taken Mr. Gundelfinger's children to school in a sleigh and was returning when struck. The horse was also killed.

Steve Vranic, aged 33, of Ambridge died at the Allegheny General hospital last night from injuries received by being struck by a train on the Ft. Wayne railroad at Woods Run about 6 o'clock last night.

Henry Kurifinke, 826 Portland street, was killed by a train on the Pennsylvania railroad at Edgewood yesterday morning. He was 70 years old and a carpenter.

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The congregation of the Tabernacle Baptist church, Howard street, near North avenue, Allegheny, will hold a series of revival meetings in the church during the next three weeks. The meetings will be held each evening during the week except Saturday, and at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. on Sundays. The meetings will be conducted by the Rev. Dr. Simon P. W. Drew, of Washington, D. C.

The Rev. Dr. Simon P. W. Drew.

Dr. Drew has been engaged in evangelistic work in this country for over 10 years and is well known both in the northern and southern parts of the United States, having conducted revival meetings in many cities. The pastor of Tabernacle church, the Rev. Dr. C. D. Patterson, extends an invitation to all pastors and religious workers to attend the services and help make the meetings a success. Dr. Drew's sermon subjects will be announced several days before the date of their delivery. He is reputed to be a strong pulpit orator and has drawn large congregations in other cities.

The following sermons will be delivered next week, beginning with the opening service at 11 a. m. tomorrow: "Wheel Within a Wheel;" "Hand of God on the Wall;" "The Fixed Heart;" "Sinners Against God;" "Two Builders;" "The Star;" "Earth, Earth, Earth;" "The Bush;" "The Lightning Express to Hell."

SENT NEW YEAR BALLOONS INTO THE RUSSIAN LINES

At Same Time Japanese Did Not Neglect Opportunity to Burn a Little Powder in Practical Way.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

MUKDEN, Jan. 6.—The Japanese celebrated the in-coming of the new year on January 2, and the sounds of music could be plainly heard inside the Russian lines wherever the positions of the two armies were close. According to the Japanese custom an immense number of kites and paper balloons were sent up. Some of the latter, seven feet in diameter, which fell inside the Russian lines, bore the inscription in Russian, "Happy New Year."

The Japanese tried to combine business with pleasure, and while the festivities were in progress an attack was made upon the village of Votto in front of one of their positions. The Russians replied with artillery on the right and center, and prevented the Japanese from occupying the village.

REPORT ON CONSUMPTION

AMAZING STATISTICS FROM AN ARTICLE IN McCLURE'S MAGAZINE FOR JANUARY

In "Tuberculosis, the Real Race Suicide," Samuel Hopkins Adams Says That 8,000,000, Maybe 10,000,000 of the 75,000,000 People in This Country, Will Die of Consumption.

Tuberculosis, writes Mr. Adams, is today the scourge of the world. It causes more deaths, more suffering and sorrow and a greater economic loss than any agency within the whole range of human affliction.

Of 75,000,000 living Americans, 8,000,000 at least must inevitably die from this cause; some authorities put the estimate as high as 10,000,000. These lives might be saved. For tuberculosis is not, as was believed a few years ago, a mysterious and inevitable fate. . . . It is the real race suicide.

It disables one-quarter to one-third of the population at the productive age (between 15 and 45). The one serious source of infection is from man to man. It is often curable, almost invariably susceptible of alleviation and always preventable.

An infinitesimal mushroom growth, known as Koch's bacillus, causes tuberculosis. . . . The average consumptive coughs out, it is estimated, about seven billion of the bacilli in a day, and these spread the infection.

Unless the blood's army of defense kills the invaders, consumption results. . . . The minute destroyers are practically ubiquitous, and were it not for the natural resisting power of the human organism they would depopulate the earth in a few years.

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It is then that Koch's bacilli take hold and cling and bite and kill. Consider this horrible danger! More than half the deaths of winter begin with a mere cold. Pneumonia kills even more than consumption in many cities. The cold is the distress signal of the lungs that need help.

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